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ight a Store. has sold his confection-6 South Main street to held by the Woman's Missionary soand W. J. Mills. Mr. ciety of the First Presbyterian church ve charge of the store, at the home of Mrs. Andrew Hill on lls will continue in his Friday of this week has been post-

# PHIPPS A BAD MAN

He is Wanted for Stealing \$150 and Valuables.

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR

**CEBUBANDITS** 

IN AMBUSH

attack Lieut. Moore's Detach-

ment of Infantry.

Received Today Give the

Latest News.

RECRUITS ACTIVE AT MANILA

A Fourth Regiment May be Secured

Among the Early Volunteers for

Veteran Service-Three Cable-

grams in One Day-Re-

turn of Soldiers.

VitariinGTON, July 26,-Three

ca'. s atom General Otis were received.

teday. One says: "The following

cata from Cebn today: Bandits in

the Cond mountains are robbing and

in people on the coast towns.

Mr. ay Lieutenant Moore with a

det. coment of the 23d infantry, scout-

its in the mountains, were fired upon

from a strongly fortified position.

the private was killed, name not

given. No other casualties. The

enemies' loss was five killed and seven

Another says: "Bell has enlisted

at at 500 men. Wallace still in the

math, about 400. Lockett is now en-

listing. He has over 400 applications,

when are coming in rapidly. Might

rate here an additional regiment, ex-

Colonel Bell referred to is in com-

that of the 36th infantry, Colonel

Wallace of the 37th and Colonel

Lockett is in command of a cavalry

clusively of volunteers."

aptored. 21

**MESSAGES** 

### HELD THE OFFICERS AT BAY

With a Shot Gun the First Time He was Sighted- Has Been in the Penitentiary and Will Get

a Long Term.

Clinton, Ind., came to Decatur today to get William Phipps, the man who requisition papers and he will take nis man back tomorrow.

two burglaries. He stole \$150 i money, a shotgun, two bicycles and s number of other things. He was once beated in the county adjoining his home and the officers went after him, but Phipps had a shotgun and he held the officers at a distance and made his The officials learned that Phipps had gone to Niantic to work in

and prought to Decatur. Phopps served two years in the Indiana penitentiary for stealing chickens and Marshal Black says that

### **EPWORTH LEAGUE ECHOES**

Indiana polis.

reek's valuation which president of the Epworth League, on Monday, in speaking of the international convention held at Indianapolis,

the way through but the closing scenes last evening surpassed all others and are beyond description. In the immense tabernacle tent where the chief meetings were held there were last evening gathered 8000 people. Bishop McCabs and the singers Gabriel and Excell of Chicago sang a tric which aroused the audience to the highest point of enthusiasm. Old Sparks, who was time Methodists in the front pews visiting friends at stood up and began to shout and the act to her home with infection spread until the entire congregation of 8000 people were on their [feet, some shouting, some o join his father, who laughing, some crying, while others waved their handkerchiefs and sans songs. After this great demonstration came the speeches by Bishop McCabe head of the Methodist church North, guests of Decatar and Bishop Galloway, head of the Methodist church South. Bishop Me-Cabe led out with a wish that the two great bodies should become united and at the close of his talk stepped to the

The third dispatch says: "Storm stated. Sherman leaves today with all troops for California; the Grant is leng coaled and leaves in about four days, with troops of North Dakota, Wyoming and Idaho. The Minnesota regiment is preparing to leave on the Se ridan as soon as it can be unloaded

> General Otis has been cabled to send the volunteers home as rapidly as pos-

### The Sherman.

MANILA, July 26.-The transport Sherrom sailed today for San Franti- with the California infantry. two latteries of the California heavy art my and 275 discharged soldiers of other regiments.

# JUDGE COCHRAN IS A CANDIDATE

### Against John R. Tanner for Governor of Illinois.

CHICAGO, July 26 .- The Times-Hota'l today prints the following the supervisors in such cases is final under the head "Rival to Tanner": ""an 'de W. G. Cochran of Sollivan, M nittle county, has been entered in the less of Republican gubernatorial the review of legal questions. The

Pos. litres. His boom was given a court will in this case be called upon start in his home town yesterday. World that it would be so started came to Unitago several days ago. The Dimois Association of Mexican miles of the proposed road. The

War Veterans gathered in Sullivan petition was signed by 15 persons, but Note: by for a two days' reunion. Sign timeously the Veteran Association of the 126th Illinois Volunteers, Julge Cochran's regiment in the war of the schellion, and the old settlers tance. This would leave only 11 propof Meanine county assembled there. This chiquiction of rennions, capped by the entertainment of the 126th llings veterons at dinner by Judge Cochiau, offered opportunity for

Metticz the boom in motion. "Cook county is not quite ready to street and the drives at Fairlawn park ried.

p the cause of half a dozen other

tentative candidates. The anti-Tanner

At the same time it is admitted here

that Judge Coobran will undoubtedly

develop much strength in the interior

of the state if he actively seeks the

one of the strong men on the Republi-

can side in the 39th general assembly

and was elected speaker during the

Tanner, who lined up everybody not

for Cochran in support of Ed C. Cartis

of Kankakee. In both of these sessions

the Cochran influence was put forth

effectively against the Allen bill and

its forbears. Since the regular session

of the 40th general assembly Judge

Cochran has been on the Moultrie

county bench. The judge has always

been an active and prominent figure in

G. A. R. circles since the organization

THEIR

Supervisors Heard Blue

MoundRoadCase--Decide

The Hearing Attracted a Large Crowd

of People-Work Will be

Started at Once-Will

Appeal the Case.

laying out the road be started.

that the road was needed and after

hearing the arguments the supervisors

can be taken to the circuit court for

quired by the law and that a fourth

does not live within the required dis-

Will Lay the Dust.

upon the amount of damages.

of that army. "

nomination.

The Dailn Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1899.

# take up the Cochran movement any new church BIDS

Awards Contract

"The gentleman from Moultrie was For the Erection of a Touching Incident in the \$4497 Edifice.

special session on the death of John The bids for the construction of the new Cumberland Presbyterian church "In the 40th general assembly be at Mt. Zion were opened yesterday at would bave been elected speaker but 12 o'clock noon and resulted as felfor the personal influence of Governor

J. McLean, Mattoon, Ill. -\$4800. Dixon & Shultz, Decatur, Ill. -- \$4846. R. Carson, Decatur, Ill. -\$4788. Shumaker & Swagert, Decatur, Ill. \$1740.

H. S. Baker, Decatur, Ill, -\$4688. E. L. Roberts, Decatur, III. -\$4497. E. L. Roberts being the lowest bidder was awarded the contract.

The bidding on this contract was considered very close and the bids were quite satisfactory to the building committee. Work was commenced handsome and imposing frame structure with brick basement, outside dimensions about 66x54 feet, with aduitorium, Sunday school room, class rooms, double entry in the tower, and dining room and kitchen and lobby, etc., in the basement.

In arrangement and equipment it is quite modern and a model of its kind and is considered to be probably the best church in Macon county outside of the city of Decatur. The interior arrangement is such that all the rooms may be thrown open into oue large auditorium, giving a seating capacity of possibly 500, which is considered large for a church outside the city. The contract for building the church does not include the seating, furnishing, decorating, etc., which will be a special contract. The building will probably be heated by steam. It is ex-The hearing before the committee of pected to be completed by the middle supervisors in the Blue Mound case of November and the congregation are took place yesterday and the super-planning for dedication on Thanksvisors gave their decision in favor of giving anniversary. Many people in the petitioners who wanted the road. Decatur and surrounding country have The case will be taken to the circuit taken quite an interest in this new court but in the meantime the super- church and subscribed quite generously visors have ordered that the work of for it. There are but few of the older people in Macon county but that have The case is an old one and has come time a petition has been presented it association. This church erected the was refused. The road desired is in first church building in Macon county, Blue Mound township. It is to be a about the year 1831. This was a log mile and a half long and to begin at house 30 feet square. A huge "nigger quarter of 25, 16, 1 east, running in a this old church stood and on this spot westerly direction to the center of will the cornerstone of the new church

section 26. This year the petition was be laid. presented to the highway commission. The second church house was erected ers of the township, Isaac Jennings, on the same lot in 1851, a frame struc-Daniel Zittrell and E. R. Moffett, The ture with huge frame hewed out of commissioners rejected the petition oak timber and this house served the and the case was appealed to a comcongregation up to the present time. and couled. Other volunteer organ- mittee from the county board which The new church new to be constructed Religion:" Mattons will leave as soon as trans- was composed of Supervisors Ward of will be the third building erected by Wheatland township, Rucker of Oakley this people on the same lot. The old township and Van Gelder of Harris- frame church is now being moved off the lot and its huge oak frame excites The supervisors together with the considerable curiosity. Some sills in Ed, it being the desire of President attorneys, petitioners and a large num- it are 12 inches square and 36 feet the truth, to be sincere, to utter McKinley to have no delay in the ber of residents met yesterday on the long, hewed out of a single piece. The site of the road and the evidence in siding is of clear walnut and would relentless war against slavery in all its the case was heard. Nelson & Whitley cost now something over \$100 per

are the attorneys for the highway thousand feet. commissioners. Judge Nelson was present yesterday besides J. B. Moffett is expected to be laid August 16 and the beautiful in art, in nature, to and J. M. Gray, who represent the the poeple of Mt. Zion are going to cultivate the mind, to be familiar property owners. The commissioners make a grand day of it. A huge fish claimed that the damages would and chicken fry will be given on that would take another \$2000 to construct appropriate music and an immense the world, to cultivate courage and Illinois in regard to the settlement of the road as it runs through the timber, crowd is expected if nothing occurs to cheerfulness, to make others happy, to the new "machine rate" is at last in and that the expense would be too disappoint the church in its arrange- fill life with the splendor of generous a fair way to settlement. The rate great for the benefit derived by the citizens. The property owners claimed

### CLERKS JUST AS BAD.

decided that the road should be built NEW YORK, July 26 .- At today's Today the order was given to make the survey. The supervisors will meet with the property owners and decide The highway commissioners will inspectors of immigration at large. take the case to the circuit court on a testified that his experience was that writ of certiorari. The decision of clerks coming to the United States in eccond cabin with \$40 or \$50 wers the as far as is concerned the damages and first to become public charges. the question as to whether or not the road shall be laid out, but the matter

### NOT GUILTY.

CHICAGO, July 26.-Mrs. Augusta Styles last evening was declared by a bier. to decide whether or not the petition jury not guilty of the murder of her is legal. According to the law the petition must be signed by 13 legal mother, Mrs. Catherine Shultz. Mrs. propery owners residing within two because the latter disparaged to Belle it is allged that one of these does not Styles, daughter of Mrs. Styles, the live within two miles of the road, character of her mother. that two are not land owners as re-

### DON'T SIT ON THE PORCH.

ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 28.erty owners and if these claims could be established to the satisfaction of the court the petition would be illegal. killed by lightning about noon yester- features with his fingers. day at the home of Miss Herzog, while Arrangements have been made for sprinkling the Grocers' picnic parade routs temerrow; also West Eldorado home. They were engaged to be mar-

# "MY RELIGION"

politicians in Cook remain unpledged. The C. P. Society at Mt. Zion Words Written by Ingersoll Read at the Funeral.

Presence of the Widow.

NEW YORK, July 26.-Fpneral exercises more complete than those held over the body of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll Tuesday afterncon there could hardly be. From the fact of impressive.

The body lay uncoffined on the im-Walston, on the heights of Dobb's has the distinction of being the first Ferry, in which Colonel Ingersoll passed away.

A single red rose, emblem of love, placed on the breast by his widow, immediately, ground being broken this was the only flower upon the sheet morning. The church will be quite a covered body, but the air of the room was heavily laden with the incense of floral tributes sent by many friends.

At the head of the bier was a cushion of sweet peas. The mantel glowed with hollybooks and poppies. the dead man's favorite blossoms. Other flowers in wreaths and bouquets, Scattered loosely as they had been culled, surrounded and banked the bier. Palms and evergreens were everywhere, even upon the pictures.

There was no music and there were no spaeches; only the echoing by pearls of eloquence that had fallen from the lips or run from the pen of the agnostic himself. About 40 intimate friends of the

deceased and family were present.

### Read a Poem. Dr. James Clark Ridpath, the his-

torian, stationed himself at the head of the bier, and, addressing the as-"My friends, it is my sad duty to

some interest in the C. P. church at last poem written by Col. Robert G. up for several years past but every Mt. Zion on account of its historic Ingersoll, 'The Declaration of the While the poem was being read Mrs.

Ingersoll and her daughters buried but it will likely be on Wednesday or now escorting the messengers so that the northeast corner of the southeast head" rock marks where a corner of their faces in their hands and sobbed Thursday of next week as Mr. Garrett attacks will be impossible. No crowds

### "My Religion." Major Orlando J. Smith next stepped

forward, and without preamble read the following, which was written by Colonel Ingersoll, and called "My

suffering, to assist the weak, to forget COAL MINING wrongs and remember benefits, to love honest words, to love liberty, to wage forms, to love wife and child and in a Fair Way to Come to an on regulating wages. The cornerstone of the new church friend, to make a happy home, to love has expressed, the noble deeds of all of the coal operators and miners of striking messengers have returned to with the mighty thoughts that genius acts, the warmth of loving words, to was fixed at the last interstate confersatisfies the brain and heart."

### Closing Incident.

Many men, as well as women, wept, while this was being read, and then, Dr. John Elliott read the famous eulogy delivered by Colonel Ingersell two decades ago over his brother's

This concluded the exercises, and all the visitors then filed past the bier Styles shot her mother some time ago and took a last look at the body. They passed out silently until only Charles Broadway Rouss remained. Then a striking and touching incident occurred. The blind man was led to the bier, and, groping shrinkingly until his hands came in contact with James Herron of Freeport and Miss the cold face of his dead friend, he Herzog of Milwood were instantly felt it all over, lightly tracing the

"Well, perhaps he's better now," he sitting on the porch at the Herzog murmured, adding, after a pause: "No, no one can understand it." "Mr. Bouss," said Mrs. Ingersoll, basis.

gently, "the colonel wanted you to lace your hand on his heart."

is merely dressed in the night shirt in which her husband died-and guided the sightless man's hand until i rested over the heart.

### ALL QUIET NOW.

companies of the state militia, ordered here by the governor to prevent further lynchings, arrived early this morning The mob which had been threatening the jail to lynch the negro Williams, had disappeared. All is quiet.

### CHINESE PENSIONER.

their simplicity they were singularly of Shanghai, Ohina, a landsman, who enlisted in the navy in 1884 and was formerly attached to Dewey's flagship provised bier upon which it has rested Olympia, has been granted a peusion since Friday in the darkened room at of \$30 a month for lung trouble. He Chinese pensioner of this government

Will be Extended to Superintendent Garrett.

### BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB

Will Probably Take Place on Wedness day or Thursday of Next Week and Will be at St. Nichelas Hotel. The members of the Decatur Busi-

ness Men's association have decided to give a farewell banquet to W A Garrett, who is soon to leave his posiiton as superintendent of the middle division of the Wabash to take a position with the Philadelphia and Read- claim that their ranks are practically ing road. The affair is to be given in unbroken and that they are in a postrecognition of the many favors which tion to hold out indefinitely. Mr. Garrett has shown to the city of Decatur. On suggestion of Mayor Stadler a

ead in the presence of the dead the meeting of the directory was held and a committee composed of W. L. Shellabarger, Bernard Bradley and Leo Heilrangements. It is not yet decided beaten this morning, but the police exactly when the bauquet will be held rendered prompt assistance and are expects to leave on Friday, August 4. The affair will be at the St. Nicholas hotel but as yet none of the details have been arranged. A number of the Wabash officials will be invited to attend and it is hoped that by that in the matter of accepting unsold time the new superintendent will have been named and can be introduced to the business men of the city on the "To love justice, to long for the occasion of the banquet.

# MACHINE RATE

Early Settlement. CHICAGO, July 26.—The dispute

discard error, to destroy prejudice, to suce at Pittsburg. It was then decided receive new truths with gladness, to that in Illinois the board of arbitracultivate hope, to see the calm beyond tion, consisting of three miners, three session of the sub-committee of the the storm, the dawn beyond the night, operators and one other member, be United States industrial commission, to do the best that can be done and formed to decide the matter. The Roman Dotler, chief of the board of then be resigned—this is the religion operators had held frequent meetings of reason, the creed of science. This and appointed their representatives on the board, but the miners were slow in conferring with them. At the meeting here today the operators' representatives, J. Smith Tally of Indiana, J. R. Bonney and T. M. Osberne of Pennsylvania, decided themselves ready to arbitrate, and then the mem. bers of the miners'committee appeared. Two of their representatives, Joseph Pope and John Greene of Belleville. were present, and the third member arrived later. The board held its first meeting this afternoon, the principal object of the conference being to select the seventh member. At the inter state meeting in Pittsburg, Danville was selected as the place to base the 'machine rate,' and the ratio was fixed at 75 per cent of the "pick rate." The miners had previously objected to this rating in one place, and the first thing to be considered at the meeting was the selection of districts

# clace your hand on his heart." She parted the shirt front—the body IS SUPREME

NUMBER 96

BAINBRIDGE, GA., July'26.—Two Street Railway Strikers at Cleveland Under Control.

# CARS GOING

WASHINGTON, July 26.-Ah Yu But Very Few People Riding Just Now.

### THE POLICE AND THE TROOPS

Masters of the Situation, but the Strikers Say Their Ranks are Unbroken-Will Hold Out Indefinitely...The Situation Today at Cincinnati.

CELVELAND, OHIO, July 26 -

That the presonce of a strong force of militia already had a most salutary effect upon the lawless element was shown by the marked decrease in the obstructions placed on the street our tracks during the night. This morning practically the full quota of cars were running on nearly all the lines, but most of the cars were empty or carried a few passengers, as the result of sympathy with or fear of the strikers. Thirteen hundred troops are co-operating with the police. This force will probably be augmented during the day by the arrival of several companies of soldiers. The strikers

### The Messengers.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, July 26. - The messengers' strike continues. Several new messengers were attacked and are allowed to collect. The newsboys strike continues.

Later the evening newspapers conceded part of the demands of the boys papers and the boys resumed selling.

### Pingree's Factory.

DETROIT, MICH., July 26 -The combination strike and lockout in the Pingree & Smith shoe factory has ended. The company gained the victory. Though they will still employ union labor they will discontinue nsing the union label and wall insist

### Over.

NEW YORK, July 26. - Many of the

### No Strike:

NEW YORK, July 20. -The threatened strike of the Penusylvania railroad freight handlers in Jersey City failed to materialize.

# TO LOOK IT UP

America's Assurance to the Italians.

ROME, July 26. - An official communication says that Secretary Hay has instructed the American embassy to assure Italy that the United States will adopt every legal measure warrunted by the facts to insure justice in the matter of the Louisiana lyuching.

# BASE BALL

St. Louis 4, New York 2. Pittenbrg 15, Philadelpiha 12. Baltimore 7, Chicago 2.

### THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, July 26 .- Illinois: Fair tonight and Thursday; west to northentitled to the rating on the Danville

No warshad HRISHVE acor

poned until Monday next ine business. No waranteff86HIVE&com

C. E. Black, the city marshal of tor hall offered \$500 was arrested at Niantic yesterday and the gravel bank and who is badly wanted at Chinton, Ind. he matter be referred Today the officer was waiting for

Phipps is a hard customer and an all round criminal. He is wanted for

the mines and a message was sent to that city and the man was arrested

### he will be given a long term this time.

President Augustine of Decatur at

R. C. Augustine, Decatur district

"The meetings were interesting all

center of the platform and clasped Bishop Galloway's hand, signifying ue sisters who have the union of the churches. Bished for several weeks in Galloway responded in the same strain rest, have returned to and the sentiment spread to the andi-

ence, which again become demonstraus, who is now in the tive and gave evidence of its approva lemington Typewriter with shouts and songs. During th marters at springfild, convention the educational, mission yesterday on business, ary, benevolent, every feature of th hurch work, was represented and dis . Hang has resumed cassed by the leading divines of two the cloak department countries and a great deal accomplished toward furthering the church and so

ciety interests. Mr-. Wagner of Mt "The next international meeting and Mrs. W. G. Ross will be held at San Francisco in 1901 the guests of Mr. and The Californians proved themselves great hustlers in their manner of Richards, who has been securing the convention. They had a ting her sister, Mrs. To special room filled with California yeserday for her home products and literature setting forth she has been in the the advantages of their state. They take there weeks the gave a series of stereopticon views gave a series of stereopticon views Alliam will leave in a showing California scenery before the trip through Canada large tent andiences and in many to will take a steamer ways advertised their state and deter-

### and daughters, Misses having fully 100 members in attend-Miss Lelah will stay Special Excursions to Lake Chautau-

Decatur district was a banner district,

qua, July 7th to 28th. On July 7th and 28th the Indiana, Decatur & Western Railway will sell ill all from New York special exercsion tickets from all stations to Lake Chantanqua, N. Y., (Chautauqua Assembly) and return, good for return 31 days from day of sale, at low rates for round trip. For Davis, superintendent of rates, tickets, etc., call on any L D. of Montgomery county, & W. ticket agent, or address John his brother, Frank Mc. S. Lazarus, G. P. A., Indianapolis,

### Camping Party.

A party of 14 young people will go into camp at the George Betzer farm near Oreans on Monday, August 7, for 10 days' outing. The members are Misses Mollie Grubel, Irone Sikes. Margaret Landis, Mary Tolladay, Flo Dempsey, Josephine Wagner of Springwill be one of a large field and Gertrode Phillips, Messrs. Wilbur Starling, Earl Braden, Frank Rucker, Clyde Bankston, Arthur Kieth, Albert Mann and Charles e stove eccidents Satur- Record. The chaperones have not been decided upon but will be one of the many matried couples who are friends

### Church Notes. The picnic which was to have been

## NOT YET A LAW

Mayor Has Not Signed the New Saloon Ordinance.

### WHAT A SALOON MAN SAYS

Sunday Ball Games and Thinks the Extra Hour Should

be Accorded.

As yet the ordinance passed by the city council at the last meeting changing the closing hour of the saloons from 11 until 12 o'clock has not become a law, as Mayor Stadler has not will sign or veto the ordinance there isa good deal of speculation.

A saloon keeper in an interview today said: "I did not receive any inassociation inviting me to express an Prairie Home, Sanner's, Taylorvile, opinion on the question of holding a Shelbyville, Edinburg, Stonington, corn carnival this fall, but I am in favor of it and will contribute toward the fund and will not have any string or conditions attached to my con. tribution. But at the same time I feel that myself and the others in the saloon business should receive some consideration.

"I will be very much surprised if Mayor Stadler vetoes the 12 o'clock closing ordinance. The saloon keepers are the heaviest taxpayers in the city and should be allowed all the privileges consistent with the law. The majority of the members of the council have expressed themselves as being in favor of the ordinance and the mayor should sign it. Many men who attend the theatre or who are out spending the evening would like to visit the saloons before going to their flomes but the fact that the places must close at 11 o'clock will not allow them to do this. If the saloons are allowed to stay open until midnight I would be in favor of their closing promptly at that hour now at 11 o'clock.

"We are not asking for anything un- tor, Mrs. McMasters. played on Sunday in direct violation over the L, D. & W. for Ohio. of the law without being stopped and ful privilege which the representatives shown that they wanted carried out."

### White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Loxington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also, his syes, and he suffered torribly. His malady was yellow jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy. and he stomach and liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all stomach, liver and kidney trouble. Only 50c. Sold by John E. King and Charles F. Shilling, druggists.

### Singers, Attention.

Parade. Decatur Gun Co.

### Badiy Sprained Wrist.

able to use it for several days.

### The Vandalia. Will run a \$1.00 excursion to Terre

Haute Sunday, July 80. The Ringgold band will give a band tournament. Numerous bands, including the Goodman band, will be there. Go and have a splendid day's outing. Train leaves at 7 a. m. -24-dtd

Insurance gasoline stoves can't explode. -- 6-dtf

### For Quests.

Misses Marie and Jenuette Powers were last night hostesses for a buckboard party, which drove to Sand Creek and this evening will give a hay ride in honor of guests from Springfield and Indianapolis.

Decorate Your Vehicle. For the Grocers' picnic parade. We are making cut prices on plumes, wreathes, shields, flags, festooning. Come at once for we expect to sell our

entire stock of these goods.

Decatur Gun Co. Good thirst parlors sell Mt. Clemens

Sprudel Water. Fred Owens, the comedian and his

company at Riverside tonight. Free.

open in all departments all day Thurs-Decorations for Grocers'

Parade. Depatur Gun Co.

The Jeffries-Fitzsimmons prize fight entire will be shown life size at the Terre Haute on Sunday and will be en-Grand Friday night. Finest vitascope tertained by the Terre Haute Wheelpictures ever brought to Decatur.

Liveniesi BRCHIVE & com

### ANNUAL BAPTIST PICNIC

Will be Held at Mowesqua on August

The third annual picnic of the Moweaqua Baptist Sunday school will be held in the city park on Thursday, August 10. This picnic is becoming one of the most important affairs of the season and is annually attended by WILL BE HEARD BY A JURY large numbers from all over the county. Among the speakers will be Dr. A. K. deBlois, president of Shurtleff In Regard to the Matter-Kicks on the Coilege, Upper Alton. Dr. deBlois And Will Probably Occupy a Good was with us last year and captivated the immense audience in his masterly address. We are fortunate in having him again this year. Elder W. M. Groves, pastor of one of Shelbyville's largest churches, and an able speaker,

of Illinois Baptists, will be here. Pastors Foxworthy, Spicer; J. J. Midkiff, Stonington; G. E. Milford, Assumption; Revs. Paisley and David Hutchinson and W. E. Redmon signed it. As to whether the mayor Thomas, Rev. Blunt, Argenta, will be and Attorney Maxwell of Lincoln, are in attenuace and add their portion to defending, and City Attorney Walters the day's enjoyment. A number of is prosecuting. Attorney I. A. Buckother able speakers have been invited. ingham was ongaged by Chief Apple-

Besides those in Moweagen, the gate to assist in the prosecution. quiry card from the Business M n's Sunday schools of Macon, Assumption, Blue Mound, Pans, Decatur and other points have been invited.

### PERSONAL

-J. L. Young of Mt. Auburn, transacted business in the city.

-Mrs. Charles Wilson of Argenta was the guest of Decatur friends.

-Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Montgomery and children have returned pertaining to the business of the comfrom Aurora

-Miss Blanche Meyers of Canton Ill., is the guest of the Misses Sue and Ethel Dimock of North Water street. -Father Murphy of St. Patrick's

Oatholic church attended the funeral of Dean Hardy at Jorseyville today. -Miss Lottie Gilbert, who has been

ill with lung trouble, is very much improved. She will leave for Colorado in about one month. -Mrs. J. G. Badenhausen and her

the same as they are required to close mother, Mrs. Hanrahan, have gone to Chicago to visit the former's daughlawful but simply that the laws be -W. M. Daniels, general freight

changed so that we are accorded a and passenger agent for the Columbus, another hour in the evening and better who, with his family, has been the most all base ball clubs there was accommodating our customers. Sun- guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lowber Burrows strife among the players and matters day shows and base ball games are since Saturday last, will leave tonight came to a point where it was thought

-H. K. Midkiff has gone to the home I think that in view of these facts the of his friend, 'Squire Faris, at Niantic, saloon men should be allowed the law-for a few days' rest. He is suffering purpose of reorganizing the club. The from bronchial pneumonia and was adof the people in the city council have vised by his physician to get entirely away from business for a short time, so that he might have the undisturbed rest which was necessary to his recov-

### GARDEN PARTY

Given by Mrs. Millikin at Her Home at

Millikin Place This Afternoon

and Evening. Mrs. James Millikin, president of by starting at once for the square, the Art Class, is giving a garden party and while waiting for the parade to on her beautiful grounds at her home arrive regale themselves with a glass at Millikin Place this afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock, to the members of the Peerless." Also provide themselves I desire that all members of the Art Class, their husbands and male with a small bottle for medicinal purchorus for The Messiah shall be present at the meeting Thursday night. Millikin bank and their wives. The illness while at Fairlawn.

Business of importance will be pre- supper will be served on tables under sented to the singers. S. M. Lutz. - the trees. The members of the Art Class are Mesdames James Millikin Decorations for Grocers' Picnic president, J. M. Clokey, J. E. Boring Ira Barnes, A. T. Hill, V. G. Hatch, E. A. Gastman, O. Z. Greene, W. N. Nelson, William J. Quinlan, Fermen Frank McCrum, son of druggist Mc-Roach, Virgil Hostetler, William Crum, fell on the stairway in the old Barnes, R. S. Bobon, T. J. McRey. Library block this morning and se- nolds, Misses Alice Robinson, Jennie verely sprained a wrist which at one Rogers and Belle Ewing. Mrs. T. time had been broken. He will be un. T. Roberts and Mrs. W. T. Wells, who are out of town, are also members, and Mrs. W. H. Ennis is an honorary

### Decorations for Grocers' Picnic Parade. Decatur Gun Co.

member.

Grocers' Picnic.

The Heilman Grocery Co., like the rest of the good grocers, will close tomorrow all day. They request all open till late this evening.

### The Great Fight.

Plan to see the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons It is the real thing. Just like being at the ringside. The moving pictures are perfect. Popular prices.

Cards.

Mrs. J. D. Moore entertained 24 young ladies at six hand euchre at her home on Prairie avenue this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A sparkling refreshing drink-Mt Clemens Sprudel Water.

The Fraternal Army of America will hold its regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the K. of P. hall in the Powers building.

See the new styles of gray felt hats at The Arcade Department Store is North Main.—26-d2t

The cigar makers' union will turn out in the Retail Grocers' association Picnic parade tomorrow forty strong. About 15 or 20 of the members of the

Decatur Wheelmea's club will go to

# **GAMBLERS'**

On Trial This Afternoon Before Justice O'Mara.

Deal of Time-Jurors Being Secured This Afternoon.

The four men who were arrested several days ago for gambling are on will deliver an address. Pastor J. J. Porter of Jerseyville, the Henry Clay trial this afternoon before Justice O'Mara. The defendants are J. W. Houston, J. O. Turley, A. H. Gala way and O. B. Douglass. Attorneys

> This afternoon the work of securing a jury of 12 men is being carried out.

### STANDARD OIL MEN

Met in Decatur Today to DiscussMatters Pertaining to Their Business.

The agents and salesmen of the Deeatur district of the Standard Oil comentur district of the Standard Oil com-pany met in Decatur today with M. Maxon, the superintendent of the district. A session was held this morning at the G. A. R. hall and matters pany were discussed but there was nothing of a public nature. There were about 50 agents and salesmen present. Another session was held this afternoon and tomorrow they will take part in the parade and attend the Grocers' picnic.

### COLLEGE HILL DISBANDED.

Meeting Will be Held This Evening to Reorganize the Base Ball Club.

The College Hill base ball club was disbanded today. The club has been in existence since the first of the sea. son and was quite successful in play. ing with other organizations, but like best to disband.

Tonight a meeting will be held at the Couklin wall paper store for the new nine will have Gillespie and Keck for catchers and Payne and Method for pitchers. The others who are interested in the reorganization are Carson, Clifton, Hunt, Baum, Morthland, Gates and Wayne.

Decatur Brewing Co. sell Mt. Clemens Sprudel Water.

### Grocers' Parade.

The parade will form at Central park and disband at Lincoln square-People who see the start can very easily obtain a good view of the finish of Pabst blue Ribbon beer at "The

### DREYFUS ILL.

PARIS, July 26. -The Petit Journal says Droyfus is seriously ill with

C. W. Beck Arrested.

Marshal James Felts arrived in Decatur today with C. W. Beck, arrested at the instigation of Chief Applegate for the Butterick pattern right swindle in Decatur. His victims were Mrs. Cora A. Dillehunt, Mrs. Talyor and Mrs. Caw, from whom Beck secured \$22. Beck made the amount good today and was released.

Decorations for Groters' Picake Parade. Decatur Gun Co.

The fish in the Kankakee river had the worst scare Tuesday they have had their patrons to telephone them or this season. Trainmasters Swigart send this afternoon as they will be and Robertson and Chief Dispatcher Kramer of the Wabash loaded up 887 yards of line, 444 hocks, 11 poles, and a can of worms, and betook them to prize fight at the Grand Friday night the lock. Outposts of the fish saw them coming and left hurriedly for New Orleans. A few fish that were out calling and didn't get the warning, were captured, but the majority of em got away.

Decorations for Grocers' Picnic Parade. DecaturiGun Co.

### PRESIDENT AND PARTY.

WASHINGTON, July 26-The president and party left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Lake Champiain.

Died in Kansas.

Today Dennis Murray received a telegram announcing the death of his Miss Williams' millinery store, 328 mother at Formosa, Kansas. The funeral was held today.

> The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. W. F. Gillmore Thursday, July 27, from 4 to 8 p. m. All welcome.

the Kind You Naw Always Booght

### BRADLEY JULY SALE Of Seasonable **Dry Goods**

Rugs, Matting and Linoleum. 30-inch Smyrna Rugs at 90c. Fine quality China Matting at 17c. English Lincleum at 37c. Carpet Sweepers at \$1.50.

Gloves and Mitts.

12-inch pure silk Mitts, heavy quality, 35c. 3-clasp pure silk Gloves, white and black, 50c. 2-clasp fine Kid Gloves, embroidered back, 79c, worth \$1.00.

12 doz Ladies' Gauntlet Kid Gloves, 50c a pair, worth 75c.

Hosiery and Underwear. One case ladies' fancy striped vests, worth

9c, for 3½c. One case ladies' Swiss ribbed vests, taped neck and sleeves, worth 12½c, for 8c. One case ladies' vests, trimmed neck and sleeves, worth 20c, for 121c.

One case ladies' vests, silk trimmed neck and sleeves, worth 25c, for 15c. 15 doz. ladies' Lisle Thread vests, worth

35c, for 23c. 20 doz. ladies' silk vests, all colors, worth 50c, for 39c.

1 box of ladies' fine black Hose, worth 15c, for 10c. 17 dez, a sample lot of ladies' fine Hose,

worth from 35c to 60c a pair, to close

12 doz. ladies' fine Gossamer Lisle Thread Hose, very light, worth 65c, for 45c. 10 doz. fine lace striped Liele Hose, worth 65c, for 45c.

One case child's heavy ribbed black Hose at 10c.

One case of child's fine ribbed fast black Hose, double knee, size 6 to 9½, worth 20c, for 15c a pair.

Corsets.

25 doz. weil made coreets, worth 50c, for 35c.
20 doz. fine imported corsets, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, to close at \$1.00.
One lot sample pieces fine Art Linen, stamped for embroidering, 5c to 75c.

### Wash Goods.

One case of Scotch Lawns, new patterns, while they last, at 2c yard.

50 pieces Batiste, yellow grounds, black stripes, a regular 12% c cloth, to case at 3c yard.

25 pieces Lawns, white grounds, small neat figures

at 4c yard.

pheces Batistes, Lawns, Jaconete and Lappet Mulls, in dark and light grounds, 12½c quality, at 5c yard.

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50 pieces plain and figured Cotton Grenadines, just the thing for cool summer dress, at 5c yard.

25 pieces left of those fine Organdies, a regular 25c quality, to close them out quick, at 8c yard.

80 pieces fine Dimitios, in light and dark grounds, aplendid value, 10c yard.

50 pieces fine French Organdies, in all the new colors, at 25c yard.

75 pieces of Pure Irish Skirting Linen. 10c, 1214c. 15c and 20c yard.

Piques, in plain and striped, 50c and 50c quality, to close at 35c yard.

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### Remnants of This Season's Wash Goods at Half Price,

Linens and Domestics.

50 pieces yard wide good quality Unbleached Muslin, 4c yard. 100 pieces yard wide finest grade Unbleached Mus-

10 pieces 2½ yards wide heavy brown Sheeting at 12½ c yard. 1 case standard soft finish Bleached Muslin at

30 pieces of Twilled Cotton Crash, the 5c quality, 75 pieces all Linen Unbleached Crash, the 7c grade

box heavy Cheviot Shirting, the 7½c goods, at 3½c yard.

2 boxes Alabama Shirting, beautiful styles, at 5c yd.

50 pieces of 68-inch Table Linen, Bleached, at 30c yd. All our 75c and 85c Bleached Table Damask at 50c yard and 58c yard.

Extra large ready to to use Bod Spreads, 49c each. 50 dozen ready made Pillow Slips, 5c each. 100 pair Cotton Summer Blankets, 35c pair 50 pieces Unbleached Cotton Flannel, 3c yard. 1 case good quality strips Tennis Flannel, 35/c yard.

Extra Special.

1 case only Unbleached Table Linen, sale price to close out at 19c yard.

1 case good feather Tuking, sale price only 10c yd.

250 Remnants of Turkey Red Table Damask, 2 yard and 2½ yard pieces, at about one-half the regular prices.

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Drugs, Medicines, Fine Toilet Soaps, Perfume, Toilet Waters.

Talcum Powder from 10c to 50c a box.

Tooth Brushes, Hair Brushes,

Clothes Brushes, Bath Brushes, Fine Stationery and Tablets,

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The Largest Assortment and Best Values in the Come and See. City.

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Drug and Supply Co.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

# ANNUAL Clearing Sale.

During July we will offer choice Men's Suits at Lowest Prices eve first-class merchandise.

Men's all wool Cassimere and ITHE Cheviot Suits, well made, neat SILIN pattern, splendid value at \$5 and \$6, to close, choice at

1899

Men's good Business Suits, in all wool fabrics, neat checks and plain effects, \$7, \$7.50 and \$5.50 suit, your choice at \$5.95

Men's Fine Suits-all of surplus

stock-in light and dark shades; suits that are all right in every

way. Sold at \$10, \$12, \$13.50 and \$15; to close, choice at \$8.95 | Copyri 100 pairs of Good Cassimere Pants at \$1.00.

Choice of 200 pairs of Pants, value up to \$1. MIN'S LINEN CRASH SUITS AT HALF



Boys' Departme Choice of 150 suits, ages 3 to 7reefer-value up to \$4.00. Choice at.....

Special Sale of Two-Piece 11 Suits, ages 7 to 15-

BOYS' WASH SUITS at 50c, 75c, \$

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GEST STOCK OF FURNITURE you ever saw

We will sell you a lot of CARPETS Al-WILL INTEREST YOU. THE BIG FURNITURE STOR

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For further information in regard to tickets a dames call at City Ticket Office, 12t R. Wilson at treet, or Union Depot.

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190 pairs of Good Cassimere Pants at \$1.00. Epoces of 200 pairs of Pants, value up to \$3.50, at.....\$1.98 MLN'S LINEN CRASH SUITS AT HALF PRICE.

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Choice of 150 suits, ages 3 to 7—in vestee and reefer—value up to \$4.00. Choice at....

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BOYS' WASH SUITS at

50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up.

The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers. MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK.



*\$3.98.* 

This Full Size Kit Cabinet This Week Only for \$3.98.

Ten days more of our July Clearance Sale. We must make room for goods yet to come.

### Our Loss Is Your Gain.

Furniture of all kinds has advanced from 10 to 25 per cent. We hought car load after car load before the advance. We have fory foot of available space in our immense store full now, and rather than rent additional room we propose to give our customers the advantage of the low prices these goods were bought for.

BUY NOW! If you wait until fall you will pay the advance; but don't blame us. We are ready to save you this advance if you but now. No trouble to show goods. Come and see THE BIG-6LSI STOCK OF FURNITURE you ever saw in Decetur.

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And turber information in regard to tickets and rates call at City Ticket Office, 121 E. William street, or Union Depag.

On August 10, the Vandalia Line One man said: "I smoke will run a very cheap excursion Dethe Chanson as long as I can." of \$17.50 for the round trip, with re-Another said: "I smoke it turn limit 15 days. This remarkably you to spend your vacation at this renowned resort on the Atlantic ocean, the splendid time and service of the Vandalia-Pennslyvania enable you to leave Decatur at 7:40 a. m., arriving at Atlantic City at 2::15 p. m. next afternoon. For full information see J. C. Millspangh, T. P. A. Telephone

Excursion.

LOCAL NEWS. STRING OF ACCIDENTS.

Caldwell's street carriages, 15 cents to any part of the city. Leave orders at Greider's Restaurant, old telephone No. 1831.—mch31-dtf

Emoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar If you are in need of footwear Rodgers & Clark's ad. will certainly interest you. -28-dtf

You pay a little more for the clothes that Denz makes but—

If you want plastering done call on the Decator Hard Plastering Co. jumping down the steep embankment Laying of sidewalks a specialty, using at the side of the road. Lash was the best quality of cement Perry & thrown out and his shoulder badis

Smoke the Little J. Guaranteed to

A. T. Summers makes loans, large or small. Any security. Reasonable

Niagara Falls, Tuesday, August 8, trips and limit. --- dtd

Granite and marble monuments of new and fine designs. Iron reservoir vases very handsome, at Grindol & Son's, corner East Main and Franklin streets.—may 16-dtf

Judge Nelson has been engaged to deliver the address at Clinton on the when the Old Settlers' reunion will be beid.

Official maps of the city, size about day, City Engineer's office or L. Chodat's news house .- mayo dif

Picuie parties get tickets for the free show at Riverside park tonight at Decatur street, came within six feet their place of residence and put their more young men having an agricultural the transfer house.

Vandalia Line cheap excursion to Terre Haute Sunday, July 30, \$1 for round trip. Train leaves at 7 a. m. -

A lie well told may be as good as the truth until it is found out.

Hear Alterton sing "Hello, Ma Baby"; see Whyte and Beckit; the mystic Kiralfo; Fred and Kittie Owens, At Riverside tonight, Free.

### Goodman Band

Will go to Terre Haute Sunday, July 30, on the Vandalia excursion, \$1 for round trip. Train leaves at 7 a. m. -

### At the Nat.

These hot days and evenings the people find the Natatorium at Riverside park about the most fascinating resort in or near the city. The water refreshing plungs. Manager Gudett happened.-6-dtf and his assistant, Mr. Bear, are in

The Appetite of a Goat is envied by all whose stomach and liver are out of order. But such should know Dr. King's New Life Pills give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at John E. King and Charles F. shilling's dang etores.

### W. C. T. U. Friday.

Thursday, on account of Grocers' picnie. Subject, "Encouraging Thoughts for all White Ribboners." Report of contest and arrangements for an antieigarette contest will be made.

### Tabernacle Young People.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher at their home one mile southwest of the city. last evening entertained the young people of the Christian Tabernacle, were lawn games and a musical pro- Bethesda Mineral Spring Co., Wankegram and refreshments were served.

### Famous Around the Camp-Fire. **GRAPE-NUTS**

Ready-Cooked, Delicions and Nourishing.

### FOR CAMPING.

People going into camp should not forget to take along a goodly supply against the kissing bug. of Grape-Nuts, the ready-cooked food This can be eaten dry and does not require any preparation by the cook. turn limit 15 days. This remarkably or the food can be made into a variety low rate affords an opportunity for of delightful dishes, such as puddings,

> One of the favorite methods by old timers is to drop three or four heaping teaspoonsful of Grape-Nuts into a cup of coffee. The Grape-Nuts add a peculiar and delicious flavor to the coffee and give one a more piquant article of food than even the famous doughnuts and coffee of old New Eng-

To Niagara Falls via the P., D. & People who cannot digest coffee E., Tuesday, August 8. Choice of all should not forget that Postum Food rail or lake trips. The cheapest and Coffee, if properly made, furnishes a Donnelly of Marca were married on best vacation trip of the year. -25-dtd very delicious beverage, either hot or Tuesday afternoon by Justice James Stewart would have been averted had the milder grades of Jaya.

Rusaways Cause Considerable Trou ble-Rake Tooth in Girl's Foot.

Late last evening Willam Lash, s young man living in Harristown, was hurt in a ranaway accident which occurred at the intersection of Fair lawn avenue and West Main street Lash was driving a voting colt to a road cart and at the place named the animal took fright and started to run, brnised and sprained and his body scratched and clothing torn. An acquaintances of his came falong just after the accident and took the young man in his buggy and drove him home. A horse belonging to the family of a

open in all departments all day Thurs- street. He turned at the corner of their handkerchiefs, which they did. facilities for such instruction. gallop several times just missed other is one in the Bible. vehicles and twice the last time at

STEPPED ON A RAKE.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Blend, living three miles north of the city, stepped on a garden rake, running one of the iron teeth through her foot. Dr. W. L. Dunn cauterized and dressed the wound.

BLOOD POISONING.

quietly last night.

Mound will hold their third annual east of town, on Thursday, July 27. come home." All schools regardless of denomination band. Dinner will be served on the Wandering Boy Tonight." Wabash railroad.-12-d&w

### Bethesda Mineral Spring Water.

This water is indicated in the treatment of all diseases of the Kidneys or bladder, in Gout, Rheumatism, or Liver Complaint, It relieves Constipation, Headache, Nervous Prostration, induces sleep and is invaluable in cases of Nervous Dyspepsia, or Insomnia. Bethesda has cured thousands. who rode out on hay wagons. There Write for booklet giving partial list were about 75 in the party. There of cures. A. H. Jones, President,

### Blue Mound.

sha, Wis.

Mrs. Lyman Shick is on the sick list. C. C. Hollier of Montana is visiting hildren and friends west of here. Mrs. Ray McGee, who has been very out Monday for a buggy ride

Mrs. Pearl Conyer of Eadsburg, Ill.,

Fiery's lawn, east of town.

& House is on the sick list. The Socs of Blue Mound are com-

change of this place. Mr. Odell proposes to put in a 100 drop switch for our town soon.

We need an electric light plant here and think it would pay. John Himstedt of Morgansville was here on business Monday.

Alexander Ball of near Morgansville is visiting friends here. Mrs. William Patton and daughters Laura and Beulah are visiting relatives at Duquoin, Ill.

### Donnelly-Querry. Miss Eva C. Querry and Israel S.

North Star's are odorless and clean- cold, closely approaching the flavor of O'Mara at his office on East Main it been an Insurance gasoline stove-

## **BACKSLIDERS**

Earnestly Addressed by Evangelist Smith Last Night.

### SERVICE ONE OF THE BEST

Meeting Tonight at 8 O'clock - Special Song Service on Thursday Eyening,

The big Y. M. C. A. tent was com-Mr. Young, living in the 1300 block fortably filled last evening and the thousand dollars for the construction via Peoria, Decatur and Evansville on North Church street, last night in services were unusually good. Fol. at Champaign of a building for the Ry. Via boat or rail, whichever you dulged in one of the most exciting lowing the brief song service Rev. State Agricultural College. please. See the agents of the P., D. runaways that has been seen for some Mr. Field led in prayer and the quar- At a recent session of the Legis-

Macon and Edward and ran south on Evangelist Smith's sermon to back-Edward. As he attempted to turn the sliders then followed. Among other ing now in course of erection at corner at Edward and Decatur he fell things he said: "I want to bring a Champaign will be one of the largest on the boulevard in front of the resi- message to the backslider. There are and best adapted for the purposes o dence of ex-Sheriff Nicholson and the two kinds of backsliders. The first such an institution ever constructed. buggy was turned over until it rested are the wilfull, stiffuscked kind that on its side. The horse was released does not want to come back. The and got up and an examination showed other is the one who is sorry for his funds provided at the recent session of that there were no damages of any backsliding. We used to give the the General Assembly has largely in. second day of the DeWitt county fair, kind, not even a piece of the harness Methodists the credit of having the all creased the corps of instructors in the broken. The owner, who had been backsliders, but I believe all churches College of Agriculture and given the following the horse as well as he have some backsliders. There is a institution a faculty second to none in could, finally appeared and took the kind who are eternally backsliding. I ability, experience and other requisites s feet square, for sale by W. E. Colla- rig bome. The result was almost do not know whether I have a message marvelous as the horse in his mad for such a man or not. Maybe there success. The trustees of said uni-

> of plunging into a phaston driven by church letter in the trunk or some education offer one scholarship in the place else and leave it there or else college of agriculture free of tnitiou never take it with them. It is a fear to a resident of each county in Illinois. ful disgrace to be in a backslidden condition. It is also a fearful sin. It age residing on a farm, in Macon is not the fact that you have been a county, desirious of securing the backslider but that you remain in that | benefit of said scholarship is requested condition.

you backslide is that you do not for | Macon County Farmers' Institute or Miss Anna Chenoweth, the young sake sin. Do not try to see how close the undersigned. woman who was injured in a runaway | you can come to the devil's line and | The scholarship referred to above accident on Leafland avenue about not step over but keep as far away will be awarded by Col. Charles F. four weeks ago, is suffering from from it as you can. A failure to con Mills, the director of the Illinois blood poisoning in one of her legs as a ress Christ refore men is another cause Farmers' Institute for this congresresult of the injury. Dr. W. H. Bell of your backsliding. A failure to live sional district upon the recommendwas called to her home, two miles a prayerful life is another cause and a stion of the president of the County southwest of the city, yesterday, to fifth reason is a failure to give of your Farmers' Institute and the county attend her. She was resting more money to the cause of God. I now superintendent of schools turn to the Father's house. The requested to extend this notice and Two gasoline stove accidents Satur- Father is looking for you to come aid in giving wide publicity to the day. Had they used an Insurance home. Don't say that you have tried same in their respective school disis clear and clean, just right for a gasoline stove they never would have to live a Christian life once and have triots. failed but get up at once and try it agaiu. If you should fall down you County Superintendent Schools, Macon would not lie there in the dirt but The C. P. Sunday school of Blue you would get up as quick as you could and go ahead. The great heart picnic at Frey's grove, one-half mile of the Father is yearning for you to

Rev. Marion Stevenson offered a are cordially invited to attend. Good prayer at the close of the sermon and speakers. Good music by schools and the quartette than sang "Where is My coaching, which Fred has given him. grounds at 25 cents each. Let Macon evangelist asked how many had wancounty citizens come and enjoy them dering boys for whom prayers were singing and denoing in it. Kirslfo, Regular meeting of W. C. T. U. selves with the good people of Blue wanted and Dr. Penhallegon offered a the mystic, keeps the audionce guess-riday afternoon at 2:30. instead of Mound. Excursion rates on the prayer for those boys. After the sering all the time in his jugging act and prayers were persuaded to take a stand for the better life.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

until 8 o'clock, so that all who are at- You can put Fred in any old part and tending the different prayer meetings he always makes good. Tonight there may be present for the greater part of will be a full change in the program.

will be conducted. today was "Consecration."

### Valuable Residence Property at Auction.

The master in chancery desires the public to know that on the 29th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m. at tick for several months, was able to be the north door of the court house in is the guest of her father, George side of Mource street in the city of Decatur in the 700 block, known as The C. P. church of this place is lots 8 and 9 in block 4 in Robinson's organizing and preparing for a grand addition to the city of Decatur. These picnic on Thursday night, July 27, at lots are 65 feet each fronting on Monroe street, making 180 feet front James House of the firm of Bradley age, upon which there is a fair dwelling house and out buildings.

Go and examine this property and plaining of the hot weather and dust inquire at my office for further parand have entered their official protest ticulars. There will be a bargain at Train leaves at 7 a. m. -24 dtd this sale. This property is appraised Dr. J. B. Mathews is soliciting sub- so that is bound to sell. Deed given scribers to the Odell telephone ex- upon approval of sale.

James J. Finn, Master in Chancery.

...July 26-dtd

Niagara Falls on the occasion of the P., D. & E. excursion, Tuesday, Angust & Plenty of time to visit Toronto, Montreal, Thousand Islands, Toronto, Montreal, Thousand Islands,
Put-In-Bay and other resorts, as
tickets have the extremely long return
limit of 15 days. Call on ticket agent
Bucklen's Arnics Salve wholly cured it

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### FREE SCHOLARSHIP.

Chance for Macon County Bay or Gir at the University of Illinois.

Eds. Republican:-The University

of Illinois has for some years offered a free scholarship to the boy or girl from each county who stood highest in a competitive examination held at the county seat in June. It now comes forward and offers a free scholarship in the agricultural department. Tho U. of L circular which follows gives the needed information in regard to obtaining this scholarship. The object of this department is to give agriculture the standing among other leading pursuits of the country which it so richly deserves :

To Whom It May Concern: The General Assembly of Illinois has appropriated one hundrel and fifty

& E. for information regarding side time. The horse had been standing in tette sang "O. Rock of Ages." A lature about twenty-five thousand the barn for a week and last evening song by the andience came next and dollars was provided for instruction in the barn for a week and last evening song by the andience came next and dollars was provided for instruction in the State Agriculture College in the maps of the city left. For sale by W. was hitched in front of the house and scripture quotations. There was a principles and practices connected E. Colladay, City Engineer's office or when Mr. Young attempted to until generous response and Messra. Smith with the cultivation of crops, the ... Chodat's news house. -may5-dtf | him he broke away and ran at a full and Haasler then sang "Saved by character and treatment of soils, the Through cars will be operated on gallop down the street. When he Grace." As a last number of the breeding, feeding and management of the P., D. & E. Hy. excursion to reached the Wabash railroad he turned opening service the choir sang "Bye domestic animals, and the diseases to Niagara Falls, an excursion which has and ran down the tracks to Monroe and Bye We Shall Meet Him," and which they are subject, the operation no equal as a pleasant outing. -25-dtd street, where he turned off onto a side as they sang the chorus the last time of dairying, gardening, landscape The Arcade Department Store is street and finally reached West Macon Mr. Smith asked the audience to wave gardening and forestry, and to the

> The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois with the ample necessary to ensure a full measure of versity recognizing the pressing de-"One kind are those who change mands of the farmers of the state for

Any man or woman over 16 years of to make application in writing for the "It is a most dissatisfied life. It is same on or before August 31, 1899, to an unnecessary condition. One reason Mr. W. H. Beau, president of the

bring to you a message and it is to red The teachers of Macon county are

Yours very truly,

JOHN G. KELLER, County.

In the crowds at Riverside. The pavilion is crowded every night and the show gives the best of satisfaction. Allerton Preeman proves to the public that all be needed was practice and Whyte and Beckit do a very nice society sketch, with some spleudid vice there was an after meeting at does one of the most artistic acts ou which several who had arisen for the stage with one hat, calling it "One hundred Faces Under One Hat," Fred O. put on "The Happy Family," in which he did a bit of eccentric The meeting tonight will not begin acting that proves his versatility.

Thursday evening a special service an entire new closing farce called 'The Medical Student." All picuic The subject for the Bible reading parties should ask for show tickets at the transfer house.

Fred, Kittie and Allerton will put on

### Niegara Fails and Return, \$8.50 from Decatur

On Tuesday, August 8th, the P., D. & E. Ry, will run its annual expursion to Ningara Falls at the above rate, the city of Decatur, he will offer for all rail trip or trip Toledo to Buffalo sale those two valuable lots on the east by steamer. For a pleasant on lug, tunity. Call on Bearest ticket agent for particulars, or write G. A. Smith, G. A., Peoris, Ill. -25-dtd

### Terre Haute, Ind.

Sunday, July 80, the Vandalia Line will run a cheap excursion account grand band tournament. Goodman's band will go along to enliven the occasion. Arrange to go with them.

### Grocers' Picnic. Five cents pays your hack fare from

the west end of Main street to Fairlawn park and return on the Cay of the Grocers' picnic. Take the street cars to the park. Conductors will supply you with hack tickets good for the round trip. Price five cents each -25-22t

### It Saved His Leg.

for particulars, or write G. A. Smith, in five days. For ulters, wounds, piles, G. A., Peeris, 111.—25dtd

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ACCIPUS THE EVENING REPUBLICAN, 126

teu h Water street, Decatur, Illinois WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1899.

TRUSTS AND SOUP HOUSES Ogden (Utah) Standard: The reason trusts were not so numerous under Such is the Reputation of "The Little Cleveland as under McKinley is because Democratic rule and principles make times so hard that capital can

We believe it is the greatest blessing that could happen to the country for the money men of the nation to buy up the strugging enterprises, for the blight of Clevelandism and Democracy had so crippled business enterprises that new bloud (money) alone can save them.

We believe the Republican party can be trusted to fully protect the people from injurious trusts; in fact the American people themselves will see to it that Republican prosperity remains and that a trust that injures the public shall not exist.

It is much better to have a full stomach and fight trusts than to be starving and have not even a trust to fight. We prefer prosperity and trusts to famine and starvation. Trusts and soup houses do not go together.

### RAILWAY EQUIPMENT.

The 11th statistical report of the interstate commerce commission, from summaries at hand, shows that on June 30, 1898, there were 36,284 locomotives in the service of the railways. This number is larger by 248 than the previous year. Of the total number of locomotives reported, 9956 are classed as passenger locomotives, 20,627 as freight locomotives, and 5234 as switching iccomotives, a small number being unclassified. The total number of cars of all classes reported as in the service of railways on the date named was 1,326,171, being an increase of 28,694 as compared with June 30, 1897. Of the total number, 33,595 were assigned to the passenger service and 1,826,826 to the freight service, 43,753 being assigned to the service of the railways themsives. The number of cars owned by private companies and individuals that are used by railways in transportation is not covered

by reports filed with the commission. which are designed to show the density of equipment and the efficiency of its employment, shows that during the year ending June 30, 1805, the rail-ways in the United States and 100 permanently. They iend gentle assisting no pains or be proved by the quantities of it purchased. The whales are caught off the const of Corca, the blubber and fiesh gut up, salted and sent to Japan for sale as food. Over 2,000,000 pounds of whole ways in the United States used 20 lucomotives and 718 cars per 100 miles large, it appears that 50, 328 passengers were carried, and 1,343,906 passengermiles were accomplished per passenger locomotive, and 42,614 tons of freight accomplished per freight locomotive All of these items show an increase as compared with those of the previous year ending June 30, 1897.

Including under the term equipment both locomotives and cars, it is noted that the total equipment of railways on June 30, 1898, was 1,862,408 Of this number 641,262 were fitted with this number 641,262 were fitted with train brakes the increase being 115, physicians," writes V. B. Conkin of Bowersville, Ohio. H. W. Bell, N. L. automatic couplers, the increase in Krons, W. H. Hubbard. this case being 230, 849. The summartes indicate that practically all of the locomotives and cars assigned to the passenger service are fitted with train asparagus. brakes, and that out of a total of 9956 locomotives assigned to this service 5105 are fitted with automatic couplers, and 32,697 ears out of a total of 33,559 cars in the same service are also so me." Soothing, healing, perfectly fitted. A corresponding statement for freight equipment is as follows: Out W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, cars in the same service are also so of a total of 20,627 locomotives assigned to the freight service 19,414 are fitted with train brakes and 6229 with automatic couplers, but out of a total of 1,248,826 cars assigned to the freight service only 567, 409 are fitted Mr. and Mrs. B. Lackamp, Elston, with train brakes and 851,533 with automatic couplers. The number of switching locomotives fitted with nearly dead with croup." H. W. Bell, N. L. Krope, C. F. Shilling, East End freight service only 567, 409 are fitted train brakes was 3877 and the number Drug Store fitted with automatic couplers was 1199. Of the total number of cars of all classes in service on June 30, 1898, 607,796 were fitted with train brakes,

Peoria and St. Louis are beginning to speculate on the quality of the

Daily Republican the drainage canal has been opened. The substance may be thicker than water and in that case the subject under discussion will have to be

> The Democratic national committee figuring on raising a fund of \$2,000,-000 to be used next year in trying to elect Bryan. With such a sum as this William Jennings ought to be able to ever more territory than he did in

The round robin correspondents having failed to control Otis are now engaged in putting out matter to discurage enlistments.

### EARNED, NOT BOUGHT.

Conqueror" in Decatur.

How hard it often is to earn and make times so hard that capital can find nothing profitable out of which to make a trust. Under Cleveland's Democratic rule capital remained idle on account of lack of confidence in the Democracy. But no sooner was Republican rule restored than capital at however, and work their way quietly their wa publican rule restored than capital at once entered the business arena with full confidence.

homesty and work their way quietly but thoroughly. Decatur people want no better proof of the merit than is

full confidence.

Democratic hard times is death to trusts and every other business.

Republican prosperity is profitable to trusts and all branches of business.

Which is best, hard times and no business, or prosperity and revival of business everywhere?

Yes, we admit that Republican good times create enough profitable luminess. times create enough profitable business being anxious to get semething that times create enough profitable business enterprise so that a number of men will attempt to combine for the purrose of controlling all the business in sight, but Democratic hard times and free trade invite no such feelings for the owners of surplus money.

being annions to get something that would relieve her, I got a box at a drug store. She took them and they helped her in every way. Doan's Kidney Pills are a grand medicine for anyone afflicted with weak kidneys, and mothers will not be disappointed in the results of their use if they have children suffering from disordered

Kulneys."

Doan's Kudney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

An Indian maiden has lately killed her lover by the old time method of dripping water on his head. This is nothing, however, to the more civilized urally piqued at her failure to attract method of talking a man to death.

A diseased stomach surely undermines It dulls the brain, kills energy, health. It dulls the brain, kills energy, destroys the nervous system, and predisposes to insanity and fatal diseases. All dyspeptic troubles are quickly cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It has cured thousands of cases and is curing them every day. Its ingredients are such that it can't help curing. II. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

No millionaires have been heard to volve from the exchange ticket fad, but a penny saved apparently warrants large diamond earrings and fingerbut a penny saved apparently warrants this vast army in spending at least 30 table the other morning. "I make my

You can't cure dyspepsia by dieting. Est good, wholesome food, and plenty of it—Kodel Dyspepsia Cure digests food without aid from the stomech, and is made tocure. H. W. Beli, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling's East End Drug Store.

There is no use in a woman running herself down, but she apparently delights in it if she thinks any one will

For Sores, Ulcers, Burns, Galls, Piles, nothing so good as Banner Salve, the most healing medicine in the world. 25c. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hub-

water it absolutely abhorrent from a land Plain Dealer.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers benefit;

A dog is an expensive luxury in of line. Referring to the country at Philadelphia. You must either walk with him, or hire a cab-cars are not

"What might have been"-if that litlocomotive, and 42,614 tons of freight the cough hadn't been neglected—is the were carried, and 5,530,498 ton-miles and reflection of thousands of consumptives. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs and colds. N. L. Krone, C. F. Shuling East End Drug Store.

We never appreciate how lovely it

"I have received more benefit from at half-past one."
one bottle of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
The objection v

Very few women live up to a man's ideal when they eat green corn or

Thomas Rhoads, Centerfield, Ohio writes: "I suffered from piles seven or eight years. Go remedy gave me relief until DcWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, less than a box of which permanently cured East End Drug Store.

The only time the person on the outside has the advantage is when he has tne koy.

A lie well told may be as good as the truth until it is found out.

A Little Known Fact,

the increase during the year being 115,227, and 896,813 were fitted with automatic couplers, the increase in this case being 227,876.

That most serious diseases originate in disorder of the kidneys. No hope of good health while the kidneys are wrong. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is guaranteed to make the kidneys right. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

water Chicago will send down after that every one thinks they are lies.

If You Have Found Out....

cently returned from the Philippines, has presented to the ordnance depart-ment an interesting device by which the Filipinos utilized old Remington cartridge shells to enable them to fire Mauser bullets from Remington rifles Capt. Eastman says that many of the maurgents are supplied with Reming ton rifles, but they have nothing but Mauser ammunition. Large quantities of empty Remington shells are to be ob tained, however, and to make the Maus er cartridge fit the Remington rifle they cut a hole in the head of the exploded Remington shell and insert the car jacket which fits without trouble in their guns. In a measure this accounts for the inaccurate firing of the File pinos. The bullet is too small to take the rifling of the Remington gun, sc that it is impossible to fire them with any degree of accuracy. The bullet frequently flattens out in its passage and when it does strike makes a very ugly, jagged wound. At other times it expands so that it jams the gun and makes it useless.—N. Y. Sun.

Capt. Frank F. Eastman, who has re-

There are certain large sea spiders (two feet from tog to toe) that live is the water and feed entirely upon mol wolf spider, an amphibious inhabitant of the tropical regions of South Amer ica, is said to prefer a fish diet, though it is not averse to cating mice, young birds and even snakes, resembling ir this respect the theraphosidae, or bird catching spiders of India and Queens land, some of which equal a cut in size The collossenders is the most formida ble specimen of the spider family, meas uring six inches round the body and possessing 12 long, harry legs with which it grips its finny prey. It attacks fish several times larger than itself and, after biting them through the back and stinging them to death, gluts it self by suching the juices from the bodies of its victims.—Detroit Free

Beginning Early.

She was a pretty child of four or five summers and she knew it. Her mother took care that the fact should not es cape the observation of others, and in this she was ably seconded by the little miss.

The other day the child was on dress parade in Central park and was nat the attention of a man who sat read ing on one of the benches in the mall, Two or three times she passed him and still he regarded her not. She looked at him in amazement and then, with a look of mingled incredulity and determination, she went up to him stumped her little foot on the pavement and said:
"Man, it's me."—Pittsburgh Bulletin

Summer Costuming.

"I don't beheve in girls a-dressin' is stiff clothes durin' the hot weather," said the adipose elderly lady with the two daughters dress in negligent costumes all summer, no matter where they're a-goin'."

"Maw!" said her daughters, warn ingly, from the other side of the table: and the fox terrier pup turned a fit out in the basement vestibule.-Wasning-

The African Prodigal Son.

The cannibul chief stood with his hand shading his eyes. A solitary figure was timidly creeping toward him from the jungle. Suddenly the old chief started. He took a quick step forward. "It is," he cried, "it is my son! He is coming home again!" Then, with his eyes still fixed on the slouching figare, he shrilly called to his head hunt-Why is it even warm water is er: "Mbongwa, the produgal is return-palatable out of a thin glass when ico ing! Kill the fatted kaffir."—Cleve-

That the Japanese consider salted meat were unported into Nagasaki alone last year.-Philadelphia Record.

Wire in an Egg.

A colliery worker at Walkden upon opening an ordinary hen's egg for breakfast the other day discovered five or six coils measuring 12 or 14 inches inside, consisting apparently of exremely fine black wire. - London

Carried His Point.

"I object," said the young attorney, would be to be rich as when we are to the characterization of my client as a midnight marauder. The evidence shows that be committed the burglary The objection was sustained .- Puck.

A Regular Mint.

Jaggles—So he made a fortune in a

lew months? Ran one of those gambling clubs at the seaside, I suppose? Waggles-No. He opened a drug store at a prohibition summer resort. N. Y. World.

It Not, Why Not? Young Mistress.-This isn't a clean knife, Jane.

New Servant-Isn't it, mum? I don't knw how that is. I'm sure it ought to be. The last thing it cut was soap.-London Punch. Needless Worty.

you can help or the things you can't .-Chicago Daily News.

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Negligee Shirts... Full line running from .... 500 to \$2 The new silk fronts in plain and fancy. New Madras effects.

> Children's Wash Suits 500 to \$1.50 All new and choice. The long white Duck and Serge "Middy" Pants for the little chaps.



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"The calisaya jag is making headway

n Washington," said an observant

druggist, reports the Washington Post

It is chiefly favored, I notice, by

young married men, probably because

proposition at that, as all purely com-promise jags are—the ginger, benzine,

alcohol, cologne, and red-ink jags, for example. I experimented with a cali-

saya jag myself last summer. Once

was enough. A man with a properly

developed calisaya jag will waik nine

miles through snow knee deep to bite

his mother. He is also hable to pick his

own pocket. He will club himself on the head with a piece of lead pipe and

then have his grandfather pinched for

assault and battery. On the following morning he'll feel as if he'd swallowed

a sealskin sacque, just the same as

if he had put in the night before hitting

up Dreyfus swizzles or Com Paul bur-

gles. There's nothing dreamy or poet-

ic about a callsaya jag. A man doesn't have any fun with one unless he's

breaking his pet pug dog's leg or doing

something like that. It's the onriest

jag extant. It's got to be fed every 20

minutes or so, too, or it dies dismally,

and a dying calisaya jag is worse mis-

ery than being left at the post on a one to eight shot. You want to pull up the

rose bushes in your back yard and shoot

at bird's nests with an airgun. You

want to get a rebate on the gas bill that

you paid nine years ago, and to swipe

the aigrettes out of your wife's bon-

net. A man when he gets properly

started on the right kind of good red

liquor will want to give away his watch

and chain to a cab driver, but will

smash his own kid's kite sticks when

he falls under the evil consequences of

BLIND SPOT IN EVERY EYE.

feet Vision, Scientists

Say.

Of the many curious facts which are

discussed concerning the eye, what is

known as "the blind spot" seems the least understood, says the Philadelphia

Record. In the eye itself certain things

may go on which give us wrong sensa-

tions, which, although not truly illu

sions, are very much like them. Thus,

when we suddenly strike our heads or

faces against something in the dark,

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TOLLS PAID IN HORSESHOES.

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Building Up a Remarkable Col-

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One of the most curious survivals of

he custom of paying tolls exists at

very ancient times whenever a peer of

walls of a room in the castle, which is

thought to have been formerly used as

stable of Oakham castle, a new horse-

BAPTIZED IN A BATHTUB.

invalid Women Anxious to Observe

the Ordinances of the

Church.

A West side woman who is an in-

valid has become a church member aft-

tianity. Denied the privilege of going

to a house of worship by reason of her

affliction, the good woman asked that

the rites of baptism be administered to

her in her own home, says the Chicago

from the rear of the house and placed

in the room where the sick woman

lay upon her bed. It was then filled

service. Leaving her bed, the sick woman, unassisted, walked across the

There is No ? About It.

No question, indeed, with those who have used it, but that Foley's Kidney Cure is absolutely reliable for all Kidney and Bladder diseases. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

Gun-shot wounds and powder burns

The family bathtub was brought

Chronicle.

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exist and proceeded to find it.

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### VARIOUS MATTERS. WORST OF ALL JAGS.

Not less than 1,000,000 persons attend A Draggist Says That One Trial Will the 73 branch Chautauqua sesemblies Do Any Man for a Lifetime. every summer. An electric gun, invented by a gentle-

explosive projectile 51/2 miles in two seconds. The gun is noiseless, and smokeless powder is used. A new electric organ placed in St. Michael's church, Chester square, pos-sesses 64,500 miles of wire. The action

man in Portland, England, throws an

of the organ is so rapid that it would "repeat," if necessary, 60 times per sec-Experiments made in the engineer-

ing department at Cornell university have shown that, other things being equal, a bicycle runs more easily with a large tire than with a small one. A two-inch tire, for instance, was decidedly easier to run than a tire of an inch and a half diameter. There are only seven ambassadors

representing England abroad. The seven great powers entitled to receive them are France, Austria, Germany, Italy, Russia, the United States and Turkey. Their salaries range from £7,000 to £10,000, the British ambassador at Paris receiving the highest sum and holding the most coveted post in the diplomatic service abroad. The Sydney (Australia) cycle track

has been lighted in a novel way by means of inverted are lights. Fiftyfive are lights and 70 incandescents are placed around the track at intervals of 35 feet, the lamps being inverted with the reflectors immediately over the arc. There are absolutely no shadows cast, and leading cyclists are of the opinion that it is safer to ride at night under this light then by daylight.

### HEARD IN ART STUDIOS.

Appreciation .- Mauve-"This is not ny best work. I only painted it to keep the wolf from the door." His Friend-Hang it out. It will be a success."---

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Tommy (showing drawings to a vis-itor)—"These are my worst drawings, Mr. Smith.", Mr. Smith—"Indeed, Tommy! And where are your other ones?" ommy-"Oh, I haven't drawed then

"How are you getting on in your clay modeling, Kitty?" "Oh—just love-ly! I'm devoted to it." "This is a fine ead; who is it?" "Goodness, don't ask me; isn't be sweet? It is either Martin Luther or Benjamin Franklin."-Detroit Free Press.

Bystander (to hungry-looking artist who is gazing into a bakery window)—

"Why are you spending so much time looking at that pastry?" Artist—

"Studying the compactive." Studying the composition for my mas- page, for example, we seem to see not terpiece, 'The Starving Poet's Dream.' Did you think I was hungry?"-Cleveland Leader.

"No, my dear, we have suffered enough from those homemade paintings by your nunt. I positively object to your hanging that daub." "But, George, it is so beautifully framed." "That was all well enough some time ago, but frames are so ridiculously cheap now that it's no object."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### WAY STATIONS.

The modern high-class locomotive consists of 6,000 pieces. There seems to have been less than 30 miles of railroad in the United States

82% in 1830, but in 1840, less than ten years, 82 there was not far from 3,000. Passengers carried on 21 leading

British railways during 1898, according to the London Railway News, increased 287,921,000 over 1897, or 39 per cent. Merchandise carried increased 27,297,000 tons, or 34 per cent.

L. L. Matthews, an operator in the employ of the Pittsburgh & Lake Eric railroad, has worked 1,523 days without though nowadays noblemen who pass through the town generally contribute a break, and says he sees no good reaat the key for another period of equal shoes of some precious metal, richly Louis physician who committed suidecorated and bearing their cont-of-arms. Quite lately the earl of Onslow

A parliamentary return just issued states that the rumber of persons killed forwarded to J. E. Whitehouse, the conand injured on railways in the United Kingdom in the course of public traffic during 1898, as reported to the board of trade, was 1,179 killed and 6,343 injured, being an increase of 14 killed and 241 injured, compared with the figures for the previous year. The passengers who lost their lives in accidents numbered 153, and 1,870 were injured; whilst 504 railway servants were killed in the discharge of their duties and 4,149 injured. Trespassers killed, including suicides, are returned at 402, whilst the fatalities among persons passing over level crossings numbered 64.

### RULERS OF NATIONS.

In the person of Thomas Shaw, Boston has a citizen who is a double of the ever of Russia.

The mikado of Japan generally travels with a small bodyguard and often without an escort. The prince of Wales has a collection of portraits of himself clipped from

newspapers and periodicals. Queen Margherita of Italy keeps diary, in which she notes her impressions of the people she has met.

Queen Victoria has no family name her family having attained prominence before family names became common. The prince consort had no family name either. It is said sometimes that he had with water and the preacher began the such a name, Wettin, but the statement is incorrect.

Emperor William of Germany ap-room to where he stood. The face, pears to have added galluntry to his many other accomplishments. When he was lighted up with smiles that seemed prefer to keep my eyes open."

Very few women live up to a man's ideal when they eat green corn of

A dog is an expensive luxury in Philadelphia. You must either walk

### BIRDS AND ANIMALS.

Kites always carry odds and ends of what they consider ornaments to their nests. Among other things pages of 'Bradshaw' have been found in them

Sultan, a Newfoundland dog, has just died in France. He was noted for having arrested a thief, captured an assassin, rescuing a child from drowning and saving a man who attempted suicide. The Society for the Protection of Animals presented him with a collar. the calisaya jag doesn't make itself manifest in the breath. It is a bad Black. Recently he prevented a castle being robbed and was poisoned, it is sup-posed, by those who attempted the rob-

Big Line

Vesting

A Minnesota man captured a kingmaster's feet. In summer the bird is taken to the river, where fish are known to abound, and set at liberty. The bird poises high in the sir, and, suddenly dropping, grasps his viotim and promptly delivers the fish to his mas-A visitor at the Central park soo recently gave a small pocket mirror to Sullivan, a most pugnacious monkey The monkey saw his image reflected in the mirror and reached out savagely for the fellow behind the glass, and

not finding him, took revenge upon the

vent the monkeys from cutting them selves with the broken glass. A hawk had been troublesome to the gamekeepers on an English estate, and, being watched to its nest, was shot and the nest taken, when it was noticed that a piece of paper had been woven into the nest. The nest was pulled to pieces and a letter was found, closed, but without a stamp. It had been written by the guard of a train to a friend on the railway and had probably been blown out of a passing train, but how the hawk came to make use of it cannot a calisaya jag. But they're bucking it, all the same." be explained, as the nearest railway line is three miles away. Inquiries were made for the man to whom the note was directed and it was found that he was dead, a strange coincidence being

### that his name was Hawke. POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The ignorant are more skeptical than the knowing ones. Nothing so completely takes the cour-

age out of a man as pity. Man is compelled to work for what some other animals get free.

Even the oldest inhabitant has to bow to the will of the youngest. There is no question about tears being the crying need of humanity.

Remember Samson's fate and be very careful how you use your jawbone. It's only helf as bad to make monocle of yourself as it is a spectacle. Good qualities are jewels that only good breeding can set off to advantage. About all some weather prophets can truthfully predict is storms of indig-

the truth is, there is a large round spot, somewhere near the point at which we The fisherman sometimes makes the mistake of baiting his breath instead of are looking, in which we see nothing. Curiously enough, the existence of this blind spot was not discovered by acci-

Marriage is responsible for the greatest human happiness—also for the greatest human misery. With all the gold we are sending

abroad just now we are sending people who know how to distribute it.

of wire. A woman who weeps is not a pleasing object, but it must be consoling to some husbands to know that women Oakham castle, in Rutlandshire. From habit never throw flatirons.-Chicago the realm rides by the place he is re-Daily News. quired by the constable of the eastle to contribute a horseshoe in lieu of a

### A JOKE ON THE RHYMSTER.

A poet could not tread the path to fame without his feet.—Philadelphia a chapel. The custom still obtains, Bulletin.

This world will be perfect when all poets follow the example of the cide immediately after writing a poem. –St. Joseph Herald.

"There's plenty of room at the top," remarked the editor. The poet was shoe, richly decorated, bearing the in-scription: "William Hillier, Fourth deeply disappointed, for he had commented upon the fact that the wastebasket was already full .-- Philadelphia Another nobleman who was driving a Record. tendem through the town a short time

"This is my latest painting, "The Apotheosis of the Bard." "Eh? That surely ain't Pegasus!" "No. We've ago was called upon for the customary shoe. When it arrived it was found to be of pure gold and beautifully chased. done away with Pegasus. That's an automobile."-Cleveland Plain Dealer It is now one of the most interesting ob-

"Seems odd, nowadays, that such poets as Moore and all of them were llways writing 'Lines to Fannie.' "Probably Pegasus is like other horses. and they gave the lines to Fantic so as to have their hand free."—Harlem

### OPINIONS OF A PESSIMIST.

er being baptized in a bathtub. At the The man who has never been a vice unpretentious home of the sick woman president at a mass meeting is justithe neighbors gathered to witness the simple service that marked the confied in concluding that his life has indeed been a failure. Some women are good largely for the secrution of a life to the cause of Chris-

purpose of spiting others who would like to talk about them. There is a place in this world that

everyone is made to fit, but most of the square pegs seem to be drawn toward he end where the round holes are. The man who has never made a fool of himself over a woman still has painful experience before him.

One reason why some women never tearn to make their own clothes is that they don't have to earn the mone which they pay to dressmakers. An eastern paper says: "When is a man old?" When the pretty girl who

many other accomplishments. When he many other accomplishments was lighted up with similar state section to show the consciousness of doing tells him how others will be influenced what she believed was right. The whole with my eyes her: "When I listened with my eyes preacher then said the baptismel words if he subscribes is finally compelled to preacher then said the baptismel words and she was gently put beneath the go away without his name on her listened to the subscribes in and makes eyes at him and tells him how others will be influenced if he subscribes is finally compelled to preacher then said the baptismel words and she was gently put beneath the go away without his name on her listened was right. Would Have Cost Him His Life.

I have been using Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it gave me permanent cure of kidney disease which certainly would have cost me my life. I recommend it to any one afficted with kidney trouble. OSCAR BOWMAN, Lebanon, Ky.

—B. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hub.

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The white of the eye showing be neath the iris is indicative of nobility of character.

When the upper lid covers half or more of the pupil the indication is of cool deliberation.

An eye, the upper lid of which passes horizontally across the pupil, indicates It is said that the prevailing colors

of eyes among patients of lunatic asy-lums are brown and black. Eyes of any color with weak brows and long, concave lashes, are indicative of a weak constitution.

Eves that are wide apart are said by physiognomists to indicate great intelligence and a tenacious memory. Eyes of which the whole of the iris

is visible belong to erratic persons, often with a tendency toward insanity. Wide open, staring eyes in weak countenaces indicate jealousy, bigotry,

Eyes placed close together in the head are said to indicate pettiness of disposition, jealousy and a turn for fault-finding.

When the under arch of the upper eyelid is a perfect semicircle it is indicative of goodness, but also of timidity, sometimes approaching cowardice.

effeminate, but this is a mistake, for blue eyes are found only among Caucasian nations, and the white races rule the world.

blue-eyed women should marry blackeyed men.

Edgar Allan Poc. Five ex-mayors of Boston are living:

Green, Martin, Hart, Matthews and Cur-John D. Rockefeller's usual luncheon consists of a glass of milk and two crackers, with an occasional piece of

Charles Dorr, of San Francisco, has a wonderful memory. He can recite ver-

batim almost any play after witnessing Prof. Daniel G. Brinton, professor of

American archaeology and linguistics at the University of Pennsylvania, has presented to the university his entire collection of books and manuscripts relating to the aboriginal language of North and South America.

a letter from a woman of that state. whose name is withheld, asking permission to take the place of any life-term convict in the penitentiary. She wants to serve out such a term faithfully in order that she may feel that she has not misspent her life. The governor was so impressed with the idea that the weman was neither a lunatic nor a crank seeking notoricty that he answered her letter at length, explaining that the laws of the state prevented him

### FUN IN POLITICS.

Hoax—"I tell you, this fellow Boodler is an honest man. When the corporation offered a price for his vote he promptly replied: 'Not much.'" Joax -"I heard his reply was 'Not enough.'

ing by machinery is gaining in popularity. Do you think the mass of voters will easily learn how to work it?" Second Citizen-"I hope so. Heretofore the machine has always worked the

don't know whether that would be a correct way of stating it or not," re-plied Senator Smallbore. "You see, my constituents may decide to make it the last."-Ohio State Journal,

Rounds-"Emmons is about the most unsophisticated man I ever ran up against." Squires-"What's the matter with Emmons?" Rounds—"Some of us went to him to see if he would run for alderman, and, if you'll believe it, he actually asked what salary there was

### PARAGRAPES FOR WRITERS.

Most editors are good friends to

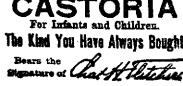
young authors—they refuse to publish their articles.—Wisconsin Journa' Scribbler-"My article's too long, eh?

Could you use it if I cut it down?" itor-"Yes; if you don't cut it down too small, it will come in handy for scrap

paper."-Berlin (Md.) Herald. "Do you think I could get better re queried the visitor, sadly, "if I burned the midnight oil over my work?"

"Well, hardly," replied the editor, kindly; "but I think the results would be better if you burned your work over the midnight oil."—Philadelphia Rec-

Rolling stones gather no moss, but it's different with rolling jokes.



### POETICAL GEMS.

The Girl Behind the Gunner. [The great force in our battles is the girl behind the man behind the gun,—Admiral chley.] The world to-day is ringing with our fame, Old glory floats supreme o'er land and

902. Our chiefs receive great honor and acchaim,
And everything is right as right can be.
But let us not forget the stanch ally
Who beiged us in the fight so nobly won,
A sweet said modest actor, but a most im-

portant factor,
The girl behind the man behind the gun.

God bless her blooming image! 'tie our star and guiding light.'
In the rush and roar of battle and the blooms at night
She's a voice to help and cheer us like a stirring bugle call.
Sure, we never won a battle—it was she who won them all.

The hand that rocks the cradle rocks the world.

Ah, what is it that little hand can't do?
On bloody fields, when shot and shell are

huried, It bears the flag and pulls the lanyard, too.
'Tis pointed forward in the press of war,
'Tis clasped in mercy when the fight is

done. And by her truth and beauty she incites us

to our duty-The girl behind the man behind the gun. And whether we are camped-on Cuba's

shore
Or in King Philip's islands for away,
In steadfast splendor o'er the clouds of war
The love o' woman shines upon our way.
With every growded trooper sent abroad

A thousand loving hearts are sailing on, So stands around the world where our ban-The girl behind the man behind the gun.

God bless her blooming image! 'tis our star

and guiding light in the rush and roar of battle and the bivouse at night:

bivouse at night;
She's a voice to help and chear us like a
stirring bugle call
Sure, we never won a battle—it was she
who won them all.
—Army and Navy Journal.

Dewey's Comin' Home.

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From Maine to California throughout our mighty land
There's somethin' agitatin' us a child could understand—
A patriotic sentiment as strong an' warm an' true
As ever cheered the heart of man an' thrilled it through and through.
No partisan or race or creed, or low or upper crust,
Can gather in this feelin' an' control it with a trust:

a trust;
An' pretty soon, from mine pit up to
heaven's distant dome,
That pent-up feelin' will explode — for
Dowey's comin' home.

It is the opinion of Prof. Tyndall that There's never been an admiral who had a better way Of takin' up an argument an settlin' it to

stay; For when his side has had its say-his

broadside, in a word—
The opposition argument is very seldom heard.
You never hear him quibble, an' he never hesitates, When he is makin' history for the United

Oh, talk of cheerin' Caesar once upon a time in Rome! We'll knock that cheerin' gailey west-for Dewey's comin' home.

He's modest as they make 'em, an' there's no one charges that Since he won his victories he wears a big-He's had all kinds of trials, an' there's no

one ever said. That he was ever rattled or he ever lost No wonder that his countrymen will swear

As perfect an American as ever was ground So, hurry up, Olympia, an' churn the bring

An' everybody whoop 'er up—for Dewey's comin' home. -Dave Florence, in Chicago Inter Ocean. "Ris Mercy Is Over All."

It is wiser to count our mercies, the bless-ings which strew our way. Than to wearily ponder the troubles we stumble upon each day.

It is wiser to welcome the sunshine that gladdens the sky overhead.

Than to fear for the sometime shadows which darken the way we tread.

It is wiser to joy in the beauty of the roses which open each morn,
Than to pass them by unheeding, for dread
of the prick of the thorn.

And so, though sorrow must meet us. and tears must of tilmes fall,
Yet, ever will be this comfort: "His mercy
is over all!"

-Mary D. Brine, in N. W. Christian Advo-

Her Household Ways I see her, through melodicus days, So sweet about her household ways, Sorone as even a bird that sings, With all the trouble that life brings— Nothing seems toll, for Heaven above Has dowered her with the gift of love-

That love which deems it not a task To give the bread the starved lips ask: soothe the living into rest-And if there be a Heaven above

To reach it on the wings of Love Life is so short—the grave so deep, Well may we klas from eyes that weep The bitter, burning tears, and make Earth Heaven for the other's sake! So, those that bless the way that's trod Must find at last some Heaven and Godi -F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

The Farm. Oh, where could life be half so sweet, Bo free from care and harm, So independent and complete, As on a well-kept farm?

The city dwellers fondly dream

And seek with costly care
For fresh eggs, fowl and fruits and cream
The farmer's daily fare. If they would take a carriage ride

The farmer, in his humble Can take one any day. Oh, happy farm, where quiet reigns, Birthplace of heroes great, Of men-and women, too-of brains, Thy power must ne'er abate.
-Farm Journal.

Two Souls with But a Single Thought

She sat on the spacious verands that jutted out over the sea And said to the fellow beside her: "Ah, some one is thinking of me! Far off in the big busy city there is one who is lonely to-day.

For I fancy he finds the world empty and cheerless when I am away."

He rode with a girl on a tandom, and many

sweet nothings were said;
The maiden whom he was engaged to was away, and he thought, as they sped;
"I suppose she is sitting and thinking, in her ionesomeness down by the sea, How utterly cheerless the world is for her when she isn't with me" -Chicago Times-Herald.

Riches have wings, but only the rich have ostrich plumes in their hats.

If a man's wife only possessed the same Christian name as some of his fair acquaintances it would says him t lot of explaining at times.

The bravest man is a coward when he thinks he is going to get mixed up Signature in a scandal.

### THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD.

An electric automobile in France recently ran 124 miles without recharge

Till recently the employment of electricity in any shape or form in Constantinople was strictly forbidden Incredible as it may appear, the sultar

naively imagined that a dynamo must have something to do with the manu facture of dynamite. Music boxes for bicycles are now manufactured by a firm in Hamburg The round, box-shaped apparatus which is said to give the sound of a better-class accordion, is attached it Lawns at 31/c, 5c, 71/c and 10c yd. front to the lower part of the handle bar, and connected by a beveled gear

with the front wheel in such a manner that the revolution of this wheel causes the music to play. English experts are paying a good deal of attention nowadays to the de velopment and application of eletricity to mining in America. The wonderful advancement that has beer made in this country in the transmis sion of power through the agency of

electricity is attracting general attention throughout Europe, especially wherever water powers are available The progress made of late years by Russia in the fron industry has been a notable one. The best proof of the New Wool Plaids for skirts at 49c, 59c development of this industry is found in the production of iron ore, which during the period extending between 1883 and 1892 only increased at the rate of 3,500,000 poods annually, whereas from 1893 to 1896 this increase was 5,500,000 poods a year, and in 1897 if rose to 112,009,000 poods, being a sudden rise of 15,000,000.

An innovation in job printing is promised by John C. Molloy, of Cincin nati, who declares that his press is se constructed that a sheet can be simultaneously printed upon opposite sides and that the feed of the paper from a continuous roll may be regulated to suit any size of sheet. After leaving one form printed upon one side, the sheet is automatically delivered to the second form, which will print upon the opposite side. While the second im pression on the first sheet is being made the first impression on a second sheet is simultaneously made.

### HINTS FOR LADIES.

In Russia they use a meat sauce made of thick strained apple sauce made hot with worcester sauce and a little to mato catsup. A very peculiar belt buckle is in the

shape of the American flag appropriate ly enameled and surrounded by vreath of laurel. Use raw potatoes to clean steel knives

that have been stained with fruit or vinegar. Rub the blades, then polish on the knifeboard. A pretty prayer book has a cover and

back of ivery, with pierced silver

border of lilies in enamel. Jeweled pocketbooks are in great demand. A handsome mounting is a rim of thin pierced gold, thickly studded

with semiprecious stones. Do not starch table linea too stiffly. Use a thin starch slightly brued for all table linen. Iron with very hot irons. taking care to avoid scorching, and allow the linen to remain perfectly flat until thoroughly dry.

### SAGE OF SAWHAW SAYS.

Rain checks are not expected to stop the storm. The man who has his fling too often

will get thrown down. A man can't become an angel by spreading his opinions.

It should be understood that a ticket scalper doesn't tomahawk bis wares. The man who is always citing aphor-

isms should be told he is quite trite. So train your mind that your heart ean rely on its counsels in an emer

Probably a mortgage is referred to as a plaster on account of its tendency to stick. There are places where getting sen-

tences has nothing in common with grammar. An engineer's acquaintance with

poetry isn't necessarily confined to reversing the lever. If Lot had ever spoken of his better half as being too fresh he must have affered considerable remorse subsequent to her final transfiguration .-

Chicago Dispatch.

### RAILROAD RUMBLE.

The mileage of the new railroads building in the United States in 1898,

Horse sailways were introduced into New York in 1911, upon Sixth avenue. They were introduced into Boston and Cambridge, March 25, 1856.

A motor to weigh 1,000 pounds and have four-horse power is now made to be put on a small truck and wheeled around to be used to bore holes in railway ties, to tighten nuts in rails and to operate any small tool and feed incanlescent lamps in tunnels and elsewhere. This is a bright idea and railroad con- from recovering the full schedule rates tractors are looking it up.

### NOTES FROM BRITAIN.

Motor milk vans are being used in The profits of the British post office

amount to \$20,000,000 a year. A bicycle thief was traced to an adress at Ipswich by the London police through a biotting paper which he had

used at his ledgings at Hanwell. American printing presses have appeared in Edinburgh, and the only adverse criticism made is that they turn out papers faster than is necessary That may be so in Auld Reckie, but in America the demand keeps the presses

Love, unlike human beings, strongthens as it grows old-if, of course, it is of the right sort.

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FUN IN POLITICS.

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-Philadelphia Record. First Citizen-"I see the idea of vot-

voter."-Columbus Journal. "Let's see, senator, are you serving your first term in congress?" "Well, I

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> ridiculed so frequently in the papers?" "Not a bit," answered Farmer Corntos--Washington Star.

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dy's place. Shandy has moved into

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man could live 12 hours under water ployes is held, in Nolan vs. New York, A man who was reckless of life offered V. H. & H. R. Co. (Conn.), 43 L. R. A. 305, to go down and was sunk in an old raillway company operating a single-track road to provide in its rules for was recovered. Sir John Slude, a very small man, bet \$5,000 that he could carry a friend

tickets to be sold by railroad companies markable deed. Hir John told his friend for less than ordinary rates of fare, to remove his clothes—that he had good for use by the purchaser and his agreed to carry the man, not the garwife and children, if named on the ments. Of course the friend refused ticket, and valid for two years after and lost the money. iate of purchase, is held in Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway compant

"I always aim t' tell th' truth," remarked an old farmer. "So do I, Silas," replied a neighbor, "but then a feller will trade hosses once'n awhile, you Farmer Medders-"What's yer son through college?" Farmer Corntossel

"The more they picter me as a gold-brick, the better like it. It makes summer boarders more onsuspicious. Fuddy-"Joggles has moved out to the auburbs. He says he does it for the exercise that working about the place will give him. He bought Shan-

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### NOTED WAGERS.

o pay anyone a guinea a day for each last for the cars to make the carrier day Napoleon lived, provided the taker liable for refusal to furnish them. A would pay 100 guineas down. A clergy man accepted the offer and made a fine ties on the duty to furnish cars to shipprofit, as Napoleon lived three years. A nobleman of England made a The legal duty of an employer with wager of \$7,500 100 years ago that a respect to rules for the safety of em-

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> There is always room at the bottom of a woman's letter for a postscript.

"A book I got out of the Sunda) school library, paw."
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doesn't tiste right unless I have a

Test of Beauty.

Gladys-I am afraid you aren't as

Mamma -What makes you think so "We've been walking in the park a

whole hour and not a single policeman

A Convincing Expression.

"You are truly polite, Wickman, you

"Will, she looked as if she was go-

Bleycle Admonition.
"Bredren," said the bicycle parson

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wo'ld so dat you all won't scorch in de

Fintering.
Hewitt-She said my photograph

Jewett-Yes; she told me it flattered

Dignity.

Any man who can deliberately pass a dog fight on the street without glancing.

et it possesses true dignity.-Chicago

nex'."—Philadelphia North American

showed the face of a gentleman.

you.-N. Y. World.

Daily News.

gave that homely woman your seat in

ing to stick her hat pin in'me if

didn't."-Detroit Free Press.

has kissed you -Boston Traveler.

'smoke afterward."-The Rival.

ony a butcher killed three hogs and

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-i- in record happened in 1565. In

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AL JOKELETS.

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and was sunk in an older the man nor the shiped E' de, a very small man, at he could carry a friend l about five times as much distance of 200 pards. The d a large assembly of men gathered to witness the red. Sir John told his friend is clothes—that he had rry the man, not the garcourse the friend refused

money.

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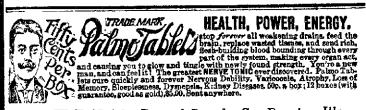
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t half fare. Tickets sold July 24th to 31st, good returning e, account Vermillion Co. Chautauqua, only \$2.95 round trip.
t will be sold Aug. 3d to 17th, good returning till Aug. 18th.
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r, Colo., account Pilgrimage Cryptic Masons, \$28.40 round ckets sold August 5th, 6th and 7th, good returning till Oct. Trayment of 50 cents additional is required when ticket is for return passage. The same rates apply to Colorado, or Pueblo and are good via divers routes west of the Mus-

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ome proof that you do not want me for my money alone." He looked at her silently for a moment, and a subtle sort of sudness seemed to spread across his features. Then he spoke slowly, softly, as if he had been built:

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Tears of happiness rose to her eyes. She threw her arms around him and kissed him, and then she sobbed: "Ah, darling, I knew you would do so.
I have felt from the first that my noble

Bruno was no mere fortune hunter. What is the condition, dearest?" "That you will prove you do not mar-ry me only for my title," he replied. 'Oh, well," she said, "let's drop the subject. Can you be ready by a week from Wednesday?"-Chicago Times-

Strangely Made.

Mr. Osster only has one foot, but to make up for that he has two brains The strange part of this is that the brains are safely tucked away in that one foot. Mr. Lobster seems to be very much afraid of toothache, for he keeps his teeth in his atomach. The worm has no heart, but he has six pairs of imitation ones, and he wiggles along very well with those. The strangest creature of all, though, is a wee chap called the "Amoeba." He has no legs nor anything else. When he wants to go any place he just lops part of him-self over and drags the rest of himself up to it. When he gets hungry he just turns himself inside out over any morsel of food he happens to come across. and when he finds something else he turns himself inside in over that.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Ordest Nun in America.
At the abbey of Gethsemane, in Kentucky, the home of the Trappist monks in America, was celebrated recently the diamond anniversary of Sister Generose Mattingly, the oldest nun in America. Sister Generose, who be-longs to the Lorentine order, took the veil 75 years ago, when she was but 20 years old. To celebrate her anniversary the pope's prelate, Archbishop Martinelli, came to Kentucky. Others in attendance were Archbishop Spalding, of Peoria, who is a relative of the cenerable sister, all the Catholic clergy of Kentucky and a number from the east. Sister Generose is related to several of the oldest and most prominent families of Kentucky. Though in fee-ble health she still retains all her faculties -Chicago Tribune.

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Silk insoles are recommended, by those who wear them, to be an absolute preventive of cold feet. They are made of three or four thicknesses of pure silk, quilted together to be held smooth, the edges bound with narrow silk seam-binding. Black or white silk is the color usually selected, but where a number of pairs are made for a char-

is the color usually selected, but where a number of pairs are made for a charity sale, assorted colors, in delicate shades, may be used. The soles are excellent for children to wear in damp weather, and overcome the prejudice of the average child against putting on rubbers.—N. Y. Post.

Porto Rico's Climate.

Porto Rico has a beautiful climate—is an ideal winter resort. But as for wealth, an official of the United States const survey reports that the forests have been nearly destroyed, the soil has been impoverished by centuries of exploitation, and of mineral wealth there is none worth considering. In fact, he is a number of pairs and part of the county court.

A. D. 1899, at the north entrace to the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois. At the hour of 3 o'clock in the state of Illinois at the hour of 3 o'clock in the state of Illinois at the hour of 3 o'clock in the fattering of the hour of 3 o'clock in the fatterior of 3 o'clock in the fatterior of 2 o'clock in the fatterior of 10 of been impoverished by centuries of ex-ploitation, and of mineral wealth there is none worth considering. In fact, he says, "the cream of its resources has been skimmed for 300 years by a shrewd people."-N. Y. Sun.

Got Her Doll.

An English little guld dropped her doll in a very deep hole not long ago and wrote to Queen Victoria that she thought it had dropped through the earth, and as she had heard the other side belonged to the queen she wished the queen would order it sent back. She did not get her own doll back, but she got another one, a great deal finer.

Circinnati Enguirer.

In the County Court, August term, A.D. 1890.

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Queer Taste. Bil!--It's hard to understand some

women. Jill--Why? "The other day a woman in a Brooklyn court refused to kiss the Bible, but caressed her pet dug a dozen times while on the witness stand."-Yonkers Statesman.

Largest Dairy in the World. The largest dairy in the world is located 14 miles from Newark, N. J., the minimum number of cows kept being 1,000. The proprietor runs a ranch in Iowa for the special purpose of supplying his dairy with cows.-Chicago

The Woman of It. Longchump-Did she give any reason

for refusing you? Hardst-Reason? No, that's the woman of it. Simply said she didn't love me.—Philadelphia North American.

Two Standards.

A man always picks the best man he knows as a standard when he measures

Causes and Effect.

Gaddley-The Swiss peasants all wear wooden shoes. Trotterly-That accounts for their lumbering gait.—N. Y. World. To Pick the Winner.

The only sure way to pick a winner is by his hilarity after the race. Chicago Daily News. Montaus.

".aistauourain." Executor's Notice.

Montana is a Spanish word, meaning

Estate of Ahby K. Hays, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Ahby K. Hays, lete of the county of Macon, and State of Ilitrons, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will suppear before the county court of Macon county, at the count house in Decease, at the dispetember term, on the first Munday in September term, on the first Mund Estate of Abby K. Haye, Deceased.

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate to Pay Debts.

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Charles L. Walker, deceased, by virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinous, rendered at the June term A. D. 1889, will on Tuesday, the lat Day of August, 1899, in the state of Illinous, rendered at the Jums Jerma D. 1869, will on Tuesday, the lat Day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock p m. at the north door of the court house in Decatur. In the county of Macon aforelessed, sell at auction to the highest bidder the following described premises to the northwest quarter also three (8) acree off of the northwest quarter, also three (8) acree off of the northwest quarter, also three that of the northwest quarter, also seven (7) acree off of the northwest quarter, also seven (7) acree off of the northwest quarter, also seven (7) acree off of the northwest quarter of the south spid of the west half of the feath of the northwest quarter of the south spid of the spid of the northwest quarter of the sold premises being situated in section No. thirty-four (84), township No. seventeen (14), north, range No three (8) seat of the ind p. m., in the county of Macon and state of illinois. Said premises will be sold free and clear of the mortigage hon of John W. Walker having consented in writing to a saile of said premises free and clear of his mortigage hon of John W. Walker having consented in writing to the saile of said premises free and clear of his mortigage hon.

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Estate to Pay Debts.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursu-ance of a decree of the county coart of Macon county, in the state of Blinois, in a certain out wherein Nettie M. Depew, administrative of the estate of H. Clay Depew, is petitioner, and Carl L. Depew, Edna M. Depew, Henry F. Depew, John R. Race et al., are defendants, I will on Tuesday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1899,

Notice of Final Settlement. State of Illinois, Macon County, ss.

In the County Court, August term, A.D. 1899. In the Matter of the Estate of Susannah Bushart, Deceased.

Decatur Illinois, July 24, 1899.
ANDREW H. MILLS. Executor, Etc.

24-d2w Executrix's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY
Fetate of George Q Baker, Deceased. Fatate of George Q Baker, Deceased.

To Julia A. Noblet, Chartes H. Baker, Henry M. Baker, Marah J. McDonald, Georgian M. Davis, Rose A. Meirhead and Nina E dreen, and to all persons interested in said setate. You are brooky notified that I will file a final report of my acts and doings as the executivity of said estate in the county court of said county and slate on the ist day of August A. D. 1869, and will sek the court on eard day, at the hour of 10 o'clock z. m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be neard, to approve said report and to discharge me from further responsibility in said estate, at which time and place you can appear and take ench action as you may deem beet..

Decatur, His. July 18, 1899.

Bakah Ann Baker, Executivity, punt'-dev

Notice of Final Settlement. In the County Court of Macon County, Illinois In the Matter of the Estate of John Finn, Daceased. To the Heirs at Law, Creditors and all persons interested in the estate of John Finn, de-

interested in the estate of some rain, cressed:
You will please take notice that upon the 19th day of June, 1899. I filed with the clerk of said court my finel account in said matter, and that unless exceptions thereto shall be filed on or before Saturday, the 5th day of August, A D. 1899, that I will ask the same to be confirmed and that I be ordered to distribute the fund in my hand in accordance with said report.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1893.

PATRICK W. FINN,
Administrator of the Saate of Administrator of the Estate of John Fron, Deceased.
Alexander McIntosh, Attorney. [19-d3w

Administrators' Notice. Estate of Charles W. Bevens, Deceased.

Estate of Charles W. Hevens, Deceased.

The underigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles W. Hevens, late of the county of Rincon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of flacon county, at the court house in Decease, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against eard estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to payment to the andersugued, lated this lith day of July 1892.

SAMUEL WEAVER, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of James A. Cook, Deceased.

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Dated the Srd day of July, A. D. 1898.

Administrator of the estate of Charles L. Malker, deceased.

John W. WALKER.

Administrator of the estate of Charles L. July and the second properties of the se

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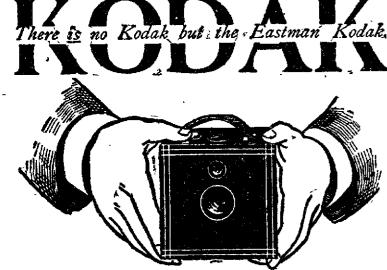
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Lockjaw.

The 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Drohn of West Macon street is suffering from lockjaw as the outcome | Charles Foster. of a Fourth of July accident. He was visiting friends at Warrensburg and Akers. discharged a toy pustol of the blank cartridge kind and the wad entared Fudge. his hand. He may recover but the attending physician considers the case blifer. L Nixon.

Was it a Miracle? "The marvelous cure of Mrs. Rena J. Stout of consumption has created intense excitement in Cammack, Ind," writes Marion Stuart, a leading druggist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed 90 pounds when her doctor in York-town said she must soon die. Then she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and gained 37 pounds in weight and was completely cured." It has cured was completely cured. It has cured thousands of hopeless cases, and is positively guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10 cents at John E. King and Charles F. Shilling's drug stores.

Missionary Lawn Fetc.

The members of the Woman's For- tees. All the camps in the county are eign Missionary society of the First enthusiastic about the picnic and the M. E. church held a very successful management feel certain that there lawn fete at the residence of Dr. and will be a large attendance. The gen-Mrs E. A. Morgan last evening. The eral committee will hold another lawn was lighted with dozens of meeting on Tuesday evening, August 1. Chinese lanterns which swung over small tables where the visitors were served with ice cream, cake and emonade.

Mrs. Milton Johnson is president of A mover named Crane had a big the society. Mrs. J. S. Starr was wagon load of honsehold goods. His hairman of the general committee having the social in charge. The ladies assisting were Mrs. W. C. Armstrong, Mrs. J. A. Stout, Miss Emily Hamsher, Miss Eva Bixby, Miss Bulah was dumped out in the street. A bed invite to attend. Stout, Miss Bessie Sanner, Mrs. J. M. Dodd. About \$20 were cleared.

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## HAVING TROUBLE

Company H and College Hill Boys Don't Agree. Haupt, ed, -Sacred Books of the

### Thomson—Descriptive Catalogue of SOLDIERS WON YESTERDAY

in a Came at the Race Track-The Money Put Up by the Two Clubs Will Likely be Taken Down.

Colquboun-Key of the Pacific; the beaten by Company H yesterday after. O'clock the parade will form at the noon at the race track diamond. The corner of Prairie and Franklin street attendance was poor and the gate and march about the business street receipts did not more than defray the and to Lincoln square, thence to the Gregory-Worldlyways and Byways. expenses. The game was so one-sided park. The grocers are undermed that it was not interesting and it was to whether they will appear in the one of the series of games for the \$25 parade with their wagons but then Lo Gallienne-Retrospective Re a side as was supposed, but the will be numerous vehicles to compate spectators were not acquainted with for the parade prizes. The processor Lloyd-Wealth Against Common the fact. The score was 27 to 19 in will be headed by the Modern Wood favor of Company H. The players and man and Goodman bands. Manaceine-Sleep: Its Physiology, positions of the two teams were as Pathology, Hygiene and Psychology.

Moulton, ed. -- Gospel, Epistles and pitchers, Conn and Myers; first base, Reavis; second base, Conn and Myers; Mayor Stadler, who will delete an short stop, Wackerman; third base, Herbert; left field, Seiberling; center B. F. Caldwell and Rev. Abut Cabb Ober-Puerto Rice and Its Resources. field, C. Martin; right field, Gates. Parsons-How to Plan the Home pitcher, Dougherty and Clifton; first law. Recalde-Abrege Historius des

base, Carson; second base, Olifton and It has been given out that the Brant; short stop, Baum; third base, Standard Oil company will appear in Short; left field, Morthland; center the parade with 60 men and their field, Dougherty; right field, Hunt. Walter Moore was the umpire.

story Gillespie and Gates offered their program which will be given in the services to Company H. Manager afternoon beginning promptly at 1.3a Seiwers was quick to accept them. are the ladies' lutching and unbuching When it was learned by the College contest; the horse shoo pitching be-Hill boys that Gillespie and Gates tween W.H. Starr and J. B. Bull rd on were to play with the soldiers there one side and T. W. Cann and C. M. Imwas a kick. Each side has up \$25, to boden on the other side, and the grand be taken by the winner of the groatest cake walk which will occur in the number of games out of a series of pavilion at 4:30 o'clock six. The College Hill team claimed that the Company H team had taken day and all indications seem to say their men but there was nothing in that they will not be disappointed the contract to show that new players Word has been received from a numshould not be put in. It was decided ber of the merchants from the nuglthat a game should be played but boring towns saying that they would when they got out to the park the Col- be here with large delegations. lege Hill team refused to play for the money. It was necessary to give the the day. He will be nided by blant spectators something so a game was Culver, Ed Higgins and Davis May. played but it was not one of the series for the coin. Manager Seiwors says that he does not think Company H Abbot-Naval History of the United and College Hill will play together again and that it is likely the money contested at the picnic. will be taken down, as it does not seem possible to come to any agree- farm horses appearing in the street

Next Sunday a team from either Indianapolis or Monticello will be in Decatur to play with Company H.

Gebhart's Claim.

A meeting of the public improveneut committee was to have been Baker, Clyde Lyons meet at 2:30 a held yesterday afternoon but only m. at Bradley Bros. T. U. in their matron's contest held three members were in attendance. at the Congregational church last The matter before the committee was August 10 the Vandalia-Pennsylvania will have a very cheap excursion Decay because to Atlantic City, N. J., \$17.50 catur to Atlantic City, N. J., \$17.50
There were nive contestants, Mrs. a claim amounting to about \$800 for Charles Foster, Mrs. C. E. Akers, a claim amounting to about \$800 for putting in laterals larger than the contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the pavilion: F. W. Kipp, G. C. The contestants of the contestant of the contestants of the contestant of the contest lor the found trip. The loss good for the particular sees of the par cussed the claim but do not agree as to the amount.

### Rules at Fairlawn.

Custodian Stoker at Fairlawn park has made some rules which must be observed at the Grocers' picnic tomorrow by those who have teams. All "Sir or Seven, Which?"-Mrs. Will conveyances must enter at the north gate and go out through the irou gate. "An Unexpected Number"-Edna Teams coming from the south can enter the Croy land and an entrance will be made to the park on the north to the south line of the park, where "The Bridal Wine Cup"-Mrs. D. side. There will be a big crowd and they are to be left. The wais first "In the Bushel or in the Jug?"the rules must be observed.

Hack tickets can be purchased from conductors on the street cars entitling Reported by C. A. Snow & Co. natest the purchaser to ride to and from the west end of the Main street line and Fairlawn park on the day of the Grocers' picnic fare for the round trip five cents. -25-2t

Special Excursions to Lake Chautauqua, July 7th to 28th.

Lehman. There were encouraging re-On July 7th and 28th the Indiana ports from the different sub-commit-Decator & Western Railway will sell special excursion tickets from all stations to Lake Chantauqua, N. Y., good for return 31 days from day of thill coupling; W. Radley, Smile ". sale, at low rates for round trip. For rates, tickets, etc., call on any L D. & W. ticket agent, or address John S. Lazarus, G. P. A., Indianapolia, There was quite an exciting run-Ind. —3-dtd away last night on North Water street.

Peck-Ater Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Peck-Ater family will be held at Cerro Gordo in stamps with date of this paper. In Co. and at the corner of Water and Divi- the city park on Tuesday, August 15. A. now & Co., Washington, D. 'sion streets one of the wheels broke It will be an all day affair and people down and the contents of the wagon from all over the country have been

Woodman Castp.

and the other things in the wagon were scattered in hopeless confusion. J. H. Kingsley has secured 80 members for the Modern Woodmen in Anatin township and as soon as the . The members of Company H have certificates are received a new camp

### GREAT EVENT TOMORROW.

Grocers' Picnic Will Come Off with a Flourish-Cerro Gordo Band Will Come.

Tomorrow will witness one of the events of the summer in the picnic which will be given by the Retail Grocers' association at Fairlawn park. The preparations have been going on for months and there seems to be nothing lacking to make the affair a grand success but the favor of the weatherman.

All the groceries close at 10 o'clock tonight and remain closed until Friday morning. It is very hear cer tain that the dry goods stores will no close. A few have talked of closus at noon but it is, thought that if on The College Rill team was badly remains open the rest was at

Arriving at the park the president of the State Grocers' association Company H-Catcher, Gillespie; George A. Sherer of Peoria, wil make a few remarks and introduce Mr. Sherer will also address the College Hill-Catcher, Brant; grocers on the subject of the pure food

wagons, headed by the Cerre Gotd. band. This will go far toward helping There came near not being any game to swell the crowd in line

at all yesterday. According to one | Some of the features of the athlene

T. T. Springer will be marshal of

THE JUDGES. At the meeting last night the

grocers decided on the following judges for the various events to be The judges for the best team of

parade: L. Wheeler, J. C. Batchilder and R. R. Montgomery.

For the best decorated pony cart, the most comical appearing persons and the best decorated carriage appearing in the parade: B. Z. Taylor. D. Brudley and T. B. Doake, W. B.

For the events on the south side of the pavilion: Dan Dineen, Frank

Crane will act as umpire. The trans have pur up a stake in addition to the prize offered by the Greens' assemble Judges for the cake walk in the

pavilion at 4:30: T. O. Jones, Mrs. Fred Tuttle, Mrs. L. "L. Race, Well Post, J. O. Hatch.

ARRANGEMENT FOR TLAMS Teams will come down West Man street to Croy's dairy farm and then that point to the park is but a very short distance.

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The street railway company has of-

ranged to have a line of backs to take passengers from their cars at the west end of Main street to Fairlawn park and return. Hack tickets will 's a ld by the conductors on the cars for bye cents for the round trip -25-2t

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Street Parade This Forences Splendid by Thousands of People.

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le all Grocers of Decatur, held at Cigues Pas ewn park today, was a big suc-You own park today, was a big suc-advertising his c s a time of mid-summer enjoy-2 1 Springer 3. A for the members of the associa- A sund steam to a their families and friends. It a big wigon a co has been a gala day for the greeers at the sters wer. On the cutseless i ngh the temperature is 36 in the Falo. The street parade this foremen was a stunner and crowded the Year for hours. Many strangers policid to the city to witness the periode. The speaking at the park matters Three cit Lyon at about 12 o'clock. There was a the dinner for everybody. This lowed by a man attennoon the athletto contests are in

### THE STREET PARADE.

it was Large and Attractive-leatures of the Display.

The parade was the best of the kimil the bas over been given in the city gerl was witnessed by thousands of mules and labor persons. The groverymen all went to loss. Carriage. a good deal of trouble to get up nice mataterism had a spays and the people were surprised several small have to a such a big turnout. Ine parade formed at the corner of Malle, County to

Park and Franklin streets and the ber of other fi count moved north on Franklin to rodo in carriages. North street, east on North to Morgan, well was in a care north on Morgan to Eldorado, west eral committee or I idenado to Water, south on Water to North, west on North to Mann ser hon Main to William, east on William to Water, south on Water to Man, west on Main to Lincoln square. write the formation disbanded. T. T. Springer acted as marshal and his aids were Elmer Culver, Edward, Higgins and Davis May.

### FEATURES

At the bend of the parade was n platoon of eight policemen in com- woman, one beband of Chief Applegate and Captain dosoph Michl -Lawrence. The officers made a time black suck, or hope arange. They were incunted on Ryan Clothing ( hasesfund were attired in their new Bost Bereits votoums with brown leggings. The prize, Frank I rest of the force was stationed at berrel Hinkle's different points about the city to take prize, vegetable (a) of the crowd.

Is Bowing the police was Goodman's Milling Company bud and then came the wholesale and carriage, at 10 ners) grocers, about 100 in number, flour, Shellabarr said following them were the wholesale grocers, all of whom were on foot | music house that Mayor Stadler marched with the ring, H. Post V.

The Drobisch grocery store had a The Cerro Co. h a turnout. At the head was a horse which A. C. Cox. non carrying a banner on which was ; gave the Repub-"brobisch's Employes". The latter me itary seremon of the firm were in a carriage and the playing a stire non employed in the store were in front of 105 2 unted and all were attired in white band is one of t waterins and were straw lasts. I clayin the west co-I wing were two of the Drebneh abe impression a Ot VERY WBGODE the Decaur Cracker Co turnout del pation to

" - a good one. A. W. Conslin, the I "mager, rode in front on a decented? b sele and was followed by about 40 hen, headed by Jack Gardener, the breman. All wore white on k curts and white caps. A number of mottons Thousands of Per wire carried. Among them were: I ugh and Grow Fat on Decatur to the Cream of the Ball, and to the start on lar inscriptions. Along the lime the grounds at With distributed from a decorated

homey Bros.'s grocery had two The Woodn as accorated wagons and H. Brumann & Gordo band had their wagen decorated

one of the striking features was the the partial of the Shellabarger Mill and Levator company. There was a troop of attle darky boys and each had on a White I are a few man and the same of the company. White Loaf sack for a coat. Some of White Loaf sack for a coat. Some of the kids were boys blacked up for the but tonight the ornation, but they forgot to apply the brush to their lega. There was about a dozen clowns on

horseback and some were gotten up in shortly before g 1 mat grostesque manner. Next came the Cerro Gordo military the business port

bara, followed by the Standard On they witheased it Co. turnout. About 50 of the agents Hacks were run and traveling seleamen who have been street car line t In this city attending their annual ple were tratherting, marched and were fellowed possible. Many by four big oil tanks and two wagons veyances loaded with barrels of oil

The members of the Cigarmakers' Stadler, Rev. 3 Union, to the number of about 40. gressman B F marched. They had two small boys acted as charri driving goal wagons for mascots opening remar-There was a large float on which was ple and said that a representation of the union label and "he mambers of

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Parade

The parade july or, Dennis Brace B. Daker and Co. The prizes were Most Comical P prize, old have one tox Days Gunn & Sectors liner on donless

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